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# WEST SHORE FIGHTING WAY OUT OF SNOW

**First Trains From Albany and New York Reached Kingston Tuesday at 5 P. M., but Other Trains From New York Are Greatly Delayed — Worst Blockade is South of This City.**

Although the West Shore railroad had been at work all day Tuesday in an effort to clear the tracks of the heavy snow of Monday, the first through train from New York city that reached Kingston did not arrive until Tuesday afternoon about five o'clock. This was the paper train, due here at 6:33 a. m. The first train through from Albany reached Kingston about the same time. The Buffalonian and the Albany Express of Monday night reached Kingston at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning after spending the night tied up between Highland and Esopus.

Train service today on the West Shore was also greatly delayed. The track between Albany and Kingston is in a more passable condition than that below Kingston and the train from Albany due here at 9:05 this morning was only about an hour late. The western train coming from Buffalo which was due at 3:05 this morning was three hours late. The train from Albany due at 6:27 this morning was only twenty minutes late.

Below Kingston, however, traffic was still tied up badly. The paper train, due in Kingston from New York at 6:33 this morning, had not arrived at 10 o'clock and it was not known when the train would pull in. Up to 10 o'clock no trains from New York had got as far as this city, except one which pulled in about 4:30 this morning.

This delay in the train service to some extent the railroad officials say is due to the fact that the railroad wires are down and are not working below Marlborough and trains have to proceed slowly on that account as after the train leaves New York city the train dispatcher loses all trace of the train. The wire between Albany and Kingston, however, is working.

**The Mail Service.**

The non-arrival of the New York trains of course has greatly affected the mail service in Kingston.

All New York mails have been delayed over ten hours and the only New York mail received in Kingston up to 10 o'clock this morning was the one brought in on the train reaching Kingston at 4:30 o'clock this morning. The next mail expected in Kingston was that carried by the paper train which was due shortly after 6 o'clock in the morning.

**City Deliveries.**

The local post office, while hampered by the non-arrival of out of town mail, is handling all mail matter as promptly as possible, and all pieces of mail matter received by the department were delivered today by the carriers in the city.

Probably the worst section in the city for delivering mail is in the upper end of North Rondout, but deliveries are being made as fast there as possible. So deep was the drifts in that section on Tuesday that the carriers found it impossible to get through.

**Rural Deliveries.**

This morning all of the rural carriers left the post office in an effort to cover at least part of the routes today. No deliveries were made on Tuesday on the routes as the carriers could not get through. It is hardly likely that they will be able to deliver all the mail on their routes today, but no effort will be spared to get the mail delivered as fast as possible.

**No Train Yet.**

The newspaper train from New York city due in Kingston at 6:33 o'clock this morning had not reached this city at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

## AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

The Stuyvesant Garage has secured the services of Carlisle Mulhall of New York city as shop superintendent. Mr. Mulhall is a man of wide experience in the automobile business, having been associated with automobile companies for the past twelve years.

The annual meeting of the Ulster County Automobile Club, which was to have been held Monday evening, but which was postponed on account of the storm will be held Friday evening instead of Thursday, as was announced by mistake in last night's Freeman. The meeting will start at 8 o'clock.

**Chicken Supper and Bazar.**

The Ladies' Aid Society of the newly organized Ponckhockie Union Church will hold a chicken pie supper and bazar in the Ponckhockie Chapel on Wednesday evening, December 15. Supper will be served from 5 to 8 and the bazar will be conducted until a late hour. Many fancy and valuable articles that will make suitable Christmas gifts can be purchased and any purchase will be a help to the church. Mrs. Barbara Drautz and Mrs. Frank Elmendorf are in charge of the fancy booth, while the candy booth will be under the care of Miss Isabella Gill.

# ON TRAIN 15 HOURS COMING FROM N. Y.

**Passengers on Albany Express Had an Experience They Will Not Soon Forget—Nearly Seven Hours Making Last 18 Miles.**

Fifteen hours was the time required for the trip between New York city and Kingston by the train which arrived in town shortly before ten o'clock Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Joslovitz, of the New York Cloak & Suit Company, on North Front street, left Weehawken on the Albany Express at 6:20 o'clock Monday evening and arrived in town at 9:40 next morning. The trip to West Point and Cornwall was made in some four hours but from West Point north the train was halted every few minutes while the men shoveled. The train proceeded for a short distance and would again be held up. After leaving Cornwall about ten o'clock in the evening the train was held up every few hundred feet and shoveled out. Several of the people who were expected to arrive in town in the evening left the train and tried to get in communication with friends but wires were down and communication north of Newburgh was cut off. When Mrs. Joslovitz told her story Tuesday she said the journey from West Point to Newburgh took from ten until about 1:30 o'clock in the morning. Highland was reached at three o'clock and from then to Kingston it was a battle with the snow drifts, the train arriving her shortly before ten o'clock. The train on which Mrs. Joslovitz was traveling was followed by other trains which had left later but were able to make better time on account of the path made by the first train.

On the first train was a doctor who was to perform an operation at the Kingston City Hospital Tuesday. At Newburgh he left the train and made an effort to reach Kingston by phone or wire. A message was left with a promise of forwarding it when communication was restored and the doctor continued on to this city.

Mrs. Joslovitz as well as the other passengers had been up all night without food and were happy when they arrived in town. Her description of the snow shoveling was very vivid and her entire experience will be one which will not soon be forgotten by those who made the trip.

# STREET LIGHTS NOT ALL RESTORED

The street lights in the city were not in use during the early hours of the night and the city was consequently in darkness. Later in the evening the lights on the principal streets were turned on but on some of the less traveled streets no lights were used during the night. The uptown streets were in darkness for some time but this did not interfere with the hundreds of Christmas shoppers who thronged the business section in order to do their Christmas shopping early and in spite of the bad condition of the walks and the disagreeable weather the stores which remained open did a good business. One thing which was of great assistance in helping the late travelers home was the bright moonlight which made the streets much lighter than the usual electric lights, but notwithstanding the bright moonlight many an unwary traveler found himself suddenly floundering in a snowbank along side the walk.

All residences and stores using electric lights were supplied with current except in cases of wires being still down and the various playhouses gave the usual performances during the night.

**Roof Collapses at Beacon.**

A score of people in Beacon had a narrow escape from death as the roof of the large tabernacle collapsed under the weight of snow Monday afternoon. The building had been used for revival services by the Rev. Robert McMinn and was being auctioned off on Monday. It had just been sold to Mr. LaPouretie of Brinckerhoff for $885 and the bidders had just left the building at the time.

**Opera House Roof Collapses.**

A fifty foot section of the roof of Cohen's opera house at Wappingers Falls collapsed early Tuesday morning from the weight of snow that had fallen during the storm on Monday.

# LOST TRAINS REACH NEW YORK

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 15.—New York today was rapidly recovering from the disastrous effects of Monday's double barreled snowstorm, but conditions are still far from normal. Steam railway traffic has been restored to something like regularity, but telegraph and telephone service was yet disorganized.

The telegraph and telephone companies lost many wires in the big storm and few of them today had been recovered. It was stated that it might take a week or more to restore the service.

All of the "lost" trains on the New York Central and on the New Haven had been found early today. The Twentieth Century Limited was stalled in the snow for 10 hours, up the Hudson.

# CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE TO BE DOUBLED

**Up to Tuesday Night 135,319 Seals Had Been Sold and it is Hoped to Sell as Many More.**

Ulster county bids fair to double any previous record made in the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals. Accurate reports received up to Tuesday night showed a present sale of 135,319 seals. This is well beyond the record made in 1914. Even this figure ought to be doubled. There are approximately 150,000 of the seals sent on approval still outstanding. In the majority of cases these have probably been forgotten by the recipients. Since the committee is anxious to close the books for the mail sale, cards are to be sent later in the week to those who have not replied. These will bring to light many thousand seals which have been buried in unanswered mail. They will also show up any cases where the seals or replies have been lost in the mails and any errors which have possibly crept into the bookkeeping. Hundreds of dollars will doubtless flow in to the committee from this source during the next few days to further the work of making Ulster county a safer place in which to live.

But these letters are not the only source of income remaining. Many orders from organizations for seals in amounts up to 1,000 have already been filled and many more are yet to be received. Thousands of seals sent to local distributors have already been sold but not reported on. Where data has been obtained regarding these, last year's results are being beaten. The booths and school-children here in Kingston will turn in a few hundred more dollars for the relief of suffering caused by tuberculosis and to prevent it spreading.

The committee bases its prediction that Ulster county will gain much favorable publicity this year throughout the country by obtaining both a national and a state pennant on these facts just enumerated. It states that with this accomplished it can do a great deal to alleviate the poverty and suffering due to consumption not only by removing its cause, but also by the administration of the necessities of life.

It is encouraging to note from the following list that many blocks of 500 or more seals have been purchased:

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| Rev J. J. Hickey | 500 |
| Cash | 1,000 |
| George Hauck & Sons Brewing Co. | 500 |
| W. F. Rafferty | 500 |
| Ulster County Red Cross | 1,000 |
| Rev. J. P. Neumann | 500 |
| Mrs. Alva S. Staples | 500 |
| Palmer Canfield, Jr. | 500 |
| Rev. J. H. Briody | 500 |
| The Elks | 1,000 |
| Jacob Rice | 500 |
| Mrs. George P. Hilton, Stroomzeit | 500 |
| T. A. Horton | 1,000 |
| Charles B. Finch | 500 |
| The Freeman Publishing Co. | 500 |
| Walter E. Weyl, Woodstock | 500 |
| Mrs. Robert Main, Saugerties | 1,000 |
| James T. Maxwell, Saugerties | 500 |
| Mrs. Edwin Young | 500 |
| Ulster County Medical Society | 1,000 |
| Ulster Lodge, No. 193, F. & A. M., Saugerties | 500 |
| North American Lodge, No. 115, K. of P., Saugerties | 500 |
| Miss Mamie Roden | 600 |
| Esopus Tribe, No. 486, Improved O. R. M., Saugerties | 500 |
| Mrs. Paul McEwen, West Park | 500 |
| Frank Coykendall | 500 |
| Edward Coykendall | 500 |

**EMPLOYES SAVE $9,800.**

**Success of the G. W. Van Slyke & Horton Christmas Club Grows.**

Today the employes of Messrs. G. W. Van Slyke & Horton received checks abounting to $9,800, representing their savings during the past year as members of the Christmas Club of the National Ulster County Bank. On each Saturday after the pay roll has been distributed, two cashiers and two bookkeepers, employes of the company, have collected the various amounts from the employes and the credit sheets and money have been sent to the bank. Last year $3,800 was saved and this year $9,800 and a much larger number of employes are expecting to join the club the coming year.

# O. & W. DIGGING OUT OF THE SNOW

Passenger trains on the Ontario & Western railroad are today leaving this city practically on time and trains are arriving here after being tied up by the storm on Tuesday. No freights are leaving and will not until the conditions of the road are improved.

The fall of snow out the line was much heavier than in this locality and a snow fall of three and four feet is reported in some places. By night the trains will be moving in both directions with a fair degree of certainty but it will be some time before the road recovers from the effects of the blizzard.

# SOCIAL SERVICE BUREAU USEFUL

Every man who has applied for work at the Social Service Bureau has secured employment at shoveling snow. A number of people who have been seeking a man to do work have been disappointed and anyone who has no work will undoubtedly secure work by applying to Mrs. MacMillan at the office of the Bureau. Every man who has applied at the bureau has found work and several more men could be used. During its short existence the Social Service Bureau has been a great help to the people of Kingston and the success of the department is assured. The Social Service Bureau keeps a record of all the men who apply to it for work and also when they work and the quickest way in which they can be reached when not working. Where there are other persons in the family working no aid is extended the family unless the man is working or willing to work if work can be secured for him.

# $50,000 FIRE AT CATSKILL POINT

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Catskill, Dec. 15.—Fire swept Catskill Point, a mile from here, early today and for a time threatened to destroy the village. Loud's Hotel, in which the blaze started, the ticket office of the Hudson River Day Line and four Catskill railroad coaches were burned. The Catskill Evening Line steamer Claremont and the ferryboat Beach, which were moored close together on the bank, were saved by being towed to midstream. H. C. Evans, agent for the line, who was asleep in the company's quarters, with his wife and son, were rescued in their night clothing. The loss was $50,000.

# ROOFS COLLAPSE IN POUGHKEEPSIE

The big storm on Monday did considerable damage in Poughkeepsie, the heavy snow causing several roofs to collapse. The Bartlett gymnasium of Riverview Academy was completely destroyed by the caving in of the roof and walls; part of the roof of Dutchess foundry machine shop was blown off; team shed at the ferry landing blown down; roof on boiler house at plant of Phoenix Horse Shoe works caved in. At Newburgh the roof the Odd Fellows building on Broadway caved in by the weight of snow. Both Newburgh and Poughkeepsie were also completely tied up by the storm.

**Settled Out of Court.**

The action brought by Sam Astalos to recover damages from Christian Schleede, the Port[illegible] brick dealer, has been settled out of court. Some time ago Mr. Astalos drove on the scales at the Deyo cider mill and while being weighed the team owned by Mr. Schleede back into his wagon, damaging it and hurling out a little boy who sat on the seat of the wagon. Edward A. McKiernan represented Mr. Astalos while Judge Stephan represented Mr. Schleede.

**Judge Ingram to Practice.**

George L. Ingraham, presiding justice of the appellate division of the supreme court, will retire on January 1 and take up the private practice of law. Justice Ingraham will form a law partnership with William F Sheehan, formerly a partner of Alton B. Parker and Edward W. Hatch, it is understood. Judge Ingraham's term would expire on December 31, 1917.

**Christmas Checks Aid Shopping.**

The distribution of Christmas checks by the National Ulster County Bank to the provident people who had saved for the Christmas expenses in this way, brought big crowds to the stores and joy into the hearts of the merchants today. The amount saved in this way during the year and now distributed amounts to $81,500.

# AUSTRIAN REPLY EXPECTED TODAY

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Austria's reply to the American demand that the sinking of the Ancona be disavowed was expected to be handed to Ambassador Penfield in Vienna today. Officials were inclined to believe that it would be conciliatory in tone because of pressure being brought to bear by Germany. But it was made plain at both the White House and the state department that if it is of a temporizing character it will not be satisfactory. Any claim that Austria was not fully advised of the position taken by the United States in its discussions with Germany on submarine warfare will not be accepted. The position outlined in the Ancona note that Austria was fully aware of all of the facts in the negotiations would be adhered to, it was officially stated.

So far as all other matters affecting Austria are concerned, including the status of Baron Zwiedinek, the Charge here, and Consul General Von Nuber in New York, it is stated that they will be held in abeyance pending the settlement of the issues raised in the Ancona case. There is no doubt that the exequatur of Von Nuber is to be cancelled but officials incline to the belief that Secretary Lansing will accept Baron Zwiedinek's explanation that he acted at all times under the direct direction of his former chief, Ambassador Dumba, and that, therefore, he was not personally to blame for trying to purchase American passports.

Officials do not look for protected negotiations with France over the right of a belligerent to take Germans and Austrians not members of the army or naval reserve from American ships. The note sent to Ambassador Sharp for transmission to the French foreign office is short but declares in friendly language that the captain of the cruiser Des Cartes flagrantly violated American rights in taking men off the steamers Coamo, Carolina and San Juan. Officials were inclined to believe that France will recognize that the American position is soundly based on international precedent and will order the release of the men.

# PAPER SIGNED BY EMINENT MEN

Supervisor C. Sheeh[illegible]ey, of the town of Marlborough, recently came in possesion of a most interesting document. It is the letters patent issued by the government of the United States to Benjamin Hutchinson for a bobbin tube for spinning cotton. The patent was granted October 18, 1827, and is signed by John Quincy Adams, president of the United States; Henry Clay, secretary of state, and William Wirt, attorney general. The papers are in fine preservation and the signatures are as clear and legible as the day they were written. At that time it was customary for letters patent to be signed by the president and the other officials mentioned. Such a galaxy of signatures of prominent men on one document is rarely seen nowadays, and it is Supervisor Woolsey's intention later to present the document to the Senate House.

**REAL ESTATE SALES.**

**Deeds Recently Recorded in County Clerk's Office.**

The following deeds have recently been filed in the office of the county clerk:

Frederick Marshall and wife of the town of Plattekill to Augustus Colman of the town of Plattekill, a parcel of land in the town of Plattekill. Consideration $100.

Viola M. Seccombe of Glendale, California to Elias Seccombe of Derby, Conn., a parcel of land in the city of Kingston. Consideration $10.

**School at Industrial Home.**

A valuable innovation at the Industrial Home, this winter, is the institution of a school at the home for the children. It will be remembered that, last year, owing to sickness, many of the children were deprived of many weeks at school while the institution was under quarantine. With whooping cough now prevalent, the same conditions were anticipated, and it was felt to be a real pity that the boys and girls should lose so much valuable time from their studies. As now arranged, the children in spite of quarantines, etc., will be able to resume their studies in the public schools, going on with their classes, instead of falling behind. The managers of the Industrial Home intend to do everything in their power for the benefit of the little people in their charge.

**Arrested For Panhandling.**

Frank Maynine, who said he lives in Glasco, was arrested on Tuesday for panhandling at the West Shore station. When arrested he gave a fictitious name and said that he had come to Kingston from Colorado. This morning he confessed that he had been drinking. He said he worked for the Nitro Powder Company but became snowbound in Kingston and to pass away the time had taken a few drinks. He was sentenced to pay a fine of $10 or ten days in jail. The arrest was made by Detective Goodsell of the West Shore force.

# KINGSTON EMERGING FROM MANTLE OF SNOW

**Telephone Communication Being Restored Rapidly, Streets Being Cleared and Preparations Made to Resume Normal Conditions—Incidents of Strenuous Days of Combat With the Snow.**

The heavy snow storm of Monday in the Hudson river valley hit Kingston hardest as far as telephone service was concerned and the damage to equipment will be great. All of the telephone lines from Kingston up the Ulster & Delaware railroad through to Oneonta are out. The line from here to High Falls and Ellenville is also out of commission and thirty telephone poles are down between Kingston and Hurley. From Hurley to Ellenville the damage to the line by fallen poles is not so severe but considerable trouble was caused by fallen trees breaking down the telephone lines. The work of repairing the lines will not take so much time as it would if the poles had to be replaced.

In Poughkeepsie telephone service has been restored except the New York city circuit. From Kingston to Poughkeepsie the wire is working through the tunnel under the hiver to Rhinebeck and it is possible to get Poughkeepsie from Rhinebeck. On this side of the river, however, two whole circuits are out.

From Kingston to Newburgh the lines are out but it is possible for the local company to get Newburgh, Goshen, Middletown, Ellenville, and Liberty by way of Rhinebeck and Poughkeepsie and the company is able to handle a limited number of calls to those places in this manner.

If nothing unexpected turns up it is thought that late tonight or early Thursday morning there will be a few circuits working out of Kingston to all points.

The service between Kingston and Albany does not seem to be badly damaged and the company has been able to get Catskill, Saugerties, Hudson and Albany at all times since the storm.

The line between Woodstock and Saugerties, however, is out.

In Kingston the storm placed 550 telephones out of commission, but it is expected that all local trouble will be cleared up by Thursday morning early if something unforseen does not turn up.

The local company is bringing in men from Newburgh and Poughkeepsie to assist in the work of restoring service in Kingston.

The local company is to be congratulated on the prompt steps it has taken to give its patrons service.

**Storm Causes Poetry.**

Tuesday morning "Billy" Scott, the colored poet of the city hall, was busy humming an original ditty to the tune of "Tenting Tonight." The first verse, ran somewhat like this:

"Many are the men who are weary tonight,
Weary from shoveling snow.
Many are the men who are singing tonight,
'Oh, my poor old back aches so.'"

Billy assured the reporter he had about a dozen more verses but the reporter told Billy he was in a hurry and could not wait to hear the other verses.

**Taxicabs Tied Up.**

The snow storm for a time did not interfere with the various taxicab services throughout the city but after the snow has attained a considerable depth cabs when they arrived at the garages were not again sent out. The Kingston Taxi Service was able to get all of its cars in and until Tuesday afternoon no calls were answered. When the streets became broken toward evening the service was resumed. Throughout the city taxies and private machines became stalled and a number were driven to the curbs and abandoned until the storm abated and the streets became broken. Autos on the streets during the early morning were a rare sight although the more adventurous drives did venture out.

**Bread and Milk Delayed.**

Bakers and milkmen had to struggle to make deliveries Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning and although they did their best, many families had neither bread nor milk delivered at their homes. The bakery wagons had a particularly hard time Monday afternoon. Tuesday morning they were the first to break tracks through the snow-drifted streets, and not only were deliveries late but in some streets it was impossible to make any passageway. One large bakery found so much trouble that it announced it did not expect to make more than one delivery during the day. Another bakery had sent out all its wagons, but they had not returned to the shop in the afternoon. The automobile delivery wagon used by A. Maxon in sending bread to the various villages and stores between Kingston and Ashokan was not sent out because of the impassable condition of the roads, and the bread supply for Ashokan and that vicinity was delivered to the express company for delivery there.

Most of the out of town milkmen found it impossible to reach Kingston at an early hour, and up to afternoon many of them had not yet reached Kingston. The Kingston Dairy Company was unable to deliver milk to its customers in the morning but by afternoon their milk supply was increased to such an extent that the patrons could be supplied.

**Factories Shorthanded.**

Owing to the deep snow many of the factory employes, especially the girls, who live on the outskirts of the city, found it impossible to get to work and many of the factories were working with but half the force on duty. Considering the condition of the streets this was a remarkably good showing and the girls who did venture out to work deserve great credit for their courage.

**Coal Men on the Job.**

The big snow storm while it delayed traffic to a great extent did not tie up the local coal dealers in making their deliveries and at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning the Kingston Coal Company was delivering orders by sleigh. Other dealers were almost as equally prompt.

**Removal of Snow Uptown.**

Street Superintendent Van Keuren efficiently directed the removal of snow from the up-town streets and his forces quickly removed the traffic-blocking snow from the principal thoroughfares so that business in the uptown section was but little hindered on this account. The employment of many extra men and teams was a big expense to the city but was necessary because of the Christmas shopping season. About a hundred men were employed in the uptown section of the street force. Teams cost $4 per day each. The merchants welcomed the good work and are praising the management of the street superintendent.

Wall, John, Main, North Front and Fair were the streets first cleared. As the wagons were loaded they were driven through Main street to Clinton avenue and thence to the lowlands, where the snow was dumped. The trip to the lowlands and return occupied about fifteen minutes.

**Trees Have Many Broken Branches.**

The damage to trees was not as great from Monday's storm as it was from the sleet storm of two years ago. The trees which suffered most this year were those in exposed places where the wind had a chance to play with the limbs after they had become covered with snow masses. The trees in the Kingston Academy yard and the First Dutch Church yard usually suffer severely from all storms, but Monday's damage was comparatively slight. In the First Dutch Church yard only small limbs were blown down. In the academy yard the smaller limbs suffered. A large limb from a tree on Clinton avenue near Albany avenue was blown over and a projecting branch caught on one of the electric light wires, near the top of the pole. The lower end rested on the ground and was so nicely balanced that the limb swayed with every strong wind. There was constant danger of the wire breaking and allowing the limb to crash against the trolley wire, and pedestrians who used the Colonial car track hurried past for fear that the limb might fall on them. A large limb on a tree on the Kingston National Bank property adjoining the Warren building on Fair street broke during the night from its weight of snow. There was hardly a street in town, however, which was not littered with small branches and limbs which either broke from the weight of snow or were broken off by the force of the wind later.

**Found Dead in Snow.**

The body of a farmhand employed on the Edwin Martin farm near Eighmeyville, was found about three miles from Rhinebeck Tuesday morning. He had perished in the snow. The body was found by farmers. His name could not be ascertained. He left Rhinebeck Monday morning driving a team of horses. The horses were not found but are thought to have gone on home while the driver perished seeking shelter.

**Miss Turner Breaks Arm.**

While walking from the high school Monday afternoon, Miss Emma Turner met with a painful accident, breaking her arm, as the result of a fall on the slippery walk that leads from the school to Broadway. Miss Turner is history teacher at the high school and has been teaching in Kingston's schools longer than any other instructor.

**Entertainment at Saugerties.**

The entertainment which was to be held in the Baptist Church at Saugerties on Monday by Emil Closs was postponed on account of the severe snow storm until this evening when the same entertainment will be held. The entertainment is given under the auspices of the Philathea Class of the First Baptist Church.

**Killed by a Train.**

Night Baggagemaster Trowbridge of the New York Central station at Hudson was instantly killed Monday evening when hit by a train in front of the station while he was at work placing baggage in a train on the other track. The blinding snow storm hid the approaching train from his view.

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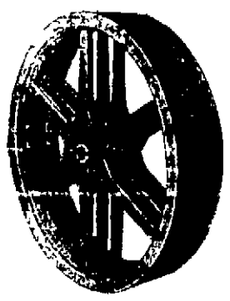

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Dated, November 9th 1915
WILLIAM H HINDMAN
E. E. Rooa, Attorney, 56 Second street, Newburgh, N. Y.

# SUPERVISORS ACT ON COUNTY FINANCES

A number of important committee reports were received by the board of supervisors at Monday evening's session, and a large amount of other business was transacted

**Amounts to be Raised.**

The committee on county treasurer and sealer reported that it had examined the report of the county treasurer and compared the balances therein stated with the books of the treasurer and found the same to be correct

A debit balance of $10 457 41 was against the court and jury fund for which that fund must be reimbursed, and in addition the committee recommended that $25,500 be raised on the county for the court and jury fund for 1916 Other amounts recommended by the committee to be raised on the county were as follows $238 32 for interest on highway loans, $2,500 for burial of deceased soldiers and sailors, $600 for printing proceedings, $58,852 50 for bonds and interest falling due, $200 for bounties for foxes and rabbits On the county outside the city the committee recommended that $2,360 be raised for county alms house bond and interest The committee also recommended that $7,238 69 received from the county clerk and $340 05 received from the sheriff be transferred to the account of salaries of sheriff and county clerk Bills presented to the committee amounted to $522 69 and had been audited at that amount The report was placed on file

Supervisor Van Aken introduced a resolution to accept the report and adopt the recommendations of the committee The resolution went over under the rule

**Committee on Highway Accounts.**

The committee on highway accounts reported that bills presented to that committee for audit amounted to $3 756 53 and had been allowed at $3 752 78 The report was placed on file

Supervisor Vanderlyn introduced a resolution to approve the audit of the committee and adopt the report, which went over under the rule.

**Committee on Salaries.**

The committee on salaries and employment of county officers reported recommendations for salaries, the amounts recommended being the same as last year, the total being $46 880, from which should be deducted $7,578 74 transferred from the county clerk's and sheriff's account The report was placed on file

Supervisor Van Aken introduced a resolution that the report of salaries recommended be adopted and that $38,081 26 be raised on the county, to meet such salaries, and the further sum of $2,200 be raised on the county outside the city for salaries of county superintendent of the poor and county sealer The resolution went over under the rule

**Committee on Town and County Accounts**

The committee on town and county accounts reported the deficiency caused by unpaid and rejected taxes in the various towns and recommended that the towns make provision for making up such deficiency, as follows

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|---|---|
| Denning | $57 34 |
| Esopus | 422 95 |
| Gardiner | 2 571 06 |
| Hardenbergh | 621 26 |
| Hurley | 73 92 |
| Kingston | 465 36 |
| Lloyd | 245 65 |
| Marbletown | 1 49 |
| Marlborough | 12 89 |
| New Paltz | 15 29 |
| Plattekill | 39 58 |
| Rosendale | 323 61 |
| Saugerties | 77 20 |
| Shandaken | 561 77 |
| Shawangunk | 2 598 42 |
| Ulster | 64 83 |
| Wawarsing | 424 61 |

The committee also reported that the county treasurer has paid on behalf of the respective towns for examinations in lunacy the following amounts which the committee recommended be assessed on such towns to reimburse the county for such payments

| | |
|---|---|
| Esopus | $40 00 |
| Gardiner | 10 00 |
| Lloyd | 10 00 |
| Marbletown | 40 00 |
| Marlborough | 20 00 |
| New Paltz | 30 00 |
| Olive | 10 00 |
| Rochester | 20 00 |
| Rosendale | 130 00 |
| Saugerties | 124 50 |
| Shandaken | 20 00 |
| Woodstock | 30 00 |
| On the county | 73 60 |

The county treasurer also has paid on behalf of the county and towns the sum of $37,586 47 on account of the cost of construction of state and county highways, as follows

Road No 354, Highland-Highland Landing, $19,500

Road No 419 Perrine's Bridge-Rosendale, $1 220 59

Road No 572, New Paltz-Plattekill $11 965 88

Road No 1 186 Cold Brook-Beechford $4,900

Which the committee found should be apportioned as follows

Road No 354—On the county, $13 650 on the town of Lloyd $5 850

Road No 419—On the county $854 41 on the town of Rosendale, $366 18

Road No 572—On the county, $8 376 11 on the town of New Paltz $3 589 77

Road No 1 186—On the county, $4 900

The committee therefore recommended that $27 780 52 be raised on the county to pay the county's proportion of the cost of constructing such highways and that the towns make provision for reimbursing the county treasury for the amounts expended on their behalf as set forth above. The report was placed on file

Supervisor Simpkins introduced a resolution that the report be accepted and the recommendations therein contained be adopted, which went over under the rule

**Expediting Business**

Supervisor Hartshorn gave notice that at some future time he would move to suspend section 7 of rule 6 so that reports and resolutions calling for appropriations can be voted on at the same session when they are introduced

**New Resolutions.**

The following resolutions were introduced and referred to the committee on highway accounts

By Supervisor McElhone, that $52 58 be raised on the county to pay the county's proportion of the cost of repairs to the following bridges Smith bridge, $4 03, Red Mill bridge, $3.80, Durkeen bridge, $44 75.

By Supervisor Bennett, that $500 be raised on the county for repair of bridges in Denning

By Supervisor Haynes, that $500 be raised on the county for repair of bridges in Hardenbergh.

By Supervisor Callahan, that $150 be raised on the county for repair of bridges in the town of Kingston

The following resolutions were introduced and went over under the rule

By Supervisor DuBois that $2,329 57 be raised on the town of Rosendale to reimburse the county treasury for moneys advanced on behalf of the town for the cost of constructing Road No 419

By Supervisor Schantz that $7,252 28 be raised on the town of Lloyd to reimburse the county treasury for moneys advanced on behalf of the town for the cost of constructing Road No 354

By Supervisor Vanderlyn, that $2,589 77 be raised on the town of New Paltz to reimburse the county treasury for moneys advanced on behalf of the town for the cost of constructing Road No 572

By Supervisor D E Schoonmaker, that $1,537 50 be raised on the town of Rochester to pay certificate and interest issued for bridge

**Resolutions Called Up.**

The following resolutions heretofore introduced were called up and adopted

By Supervisor Woolsey that $1,286 85 be raised on the town of Marlborough outside the village to pay bond and interest for road machinery

By Supervisor Woolsey that $245 45 be raised on the town of Marlborough outside the village on account of erroneous and illegal tax levy

On motion of Supervisor Shook the board adjourned until 7 30 o'clock Tuesday evening

## KERHONKSON

Kerhonkson, Dec 15—On Sunday afternoon a Pole working for Mr Hyman on the old Quick place made things lively after he had indulged in a few quarts of hard cider Mr Levin who visited at Hyman's at the time was driven from the stable by the Pole running after him with a hatchet He then took Levin's horse unhitched it ran the wagon down hill and made himself heard by using several expressions not found in the dictionary Mr Hyman being absent at the time, his daughter went to Kerhonkson and notified Constable Geary As soon as the Pole saw our friend Will towering over him like a mountain he became very lamb-like and Mr Geary had no difficulty in shipping him back to New York on the 5 18 train that afternoon

Mr and Mrs Earl Van Etten and a skimmington Thursday night

Mr Curry of Grahamsville is visiting at Floyd Ackerly's

Clarence Cross and Miss Alta Christiana spent Sunday in Ellenville visiting Mr and Mrs Albert Sherman

Mrs Bloomer of Rutland Vt, is visiting her sister Mrs Hoffman

Moving pictures at K of P Hall every Saturday night. Miss Christiana was the lucky winner of the spoons last Saturday

Miss Ruby David is visiting her sister in Washington D C

The Sunday school of the Reformed Church will celebrate Christmas December 25 at the church with a good entertainment and a Christmas tree with presents for the children

Miss Lucia Quimby has returned to her home in Shandaken after spending several weeks with Mrs Eugene Bilyeu

Mr and Mrs Joe Schoonmaker and little son spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Web Sherman in Ohioville

Mrs Curry of Walden visited in Kerhonkson Sunday

Mr and Mrs Webster Wilkinson are away on a vacation

Mr and Mrs Depuy are in their new home

Watch out for the play to be given in one of the halls in January by local talent

Mr and Mrs Harvard Humiston have another little girl

Mr and Mrs Doyle and daughter May spent Sunday in Ellenville

## THE VLY

The Vly Dec 14—Christmas exercise will be held at the church on the evening of December 23 rain or shine (unless a blizzard is raging) After the exercise a chicken supper will be served in the hall All are invited to attend

Fred Bush who has been very ill for some time, passed away Sunday afternoon about 3 o'clock The family have our deepest sympathy

The entertainment which was to be given this month has been postponed on account of illness The date will be given later

Fire destroyed the pig pen of J P Vandemark one day last week

A birthday party was given in honor of Miss Adeline Terwilliger Saturday evening A number of young people were present They all had a very pleasant evening and wished Miss Terwilliger many happy returns of the day

Miss Metta Bush has gone on a visit to Peekskill and Briarcliff for a few days.

Mr and Mrs Charles Vandemark visited Mr and Mrs G G Ackert on Sunday

**Snow Plow too Vigorous**

Monday evening about 9 o'clock while the snow plow of the electric road was running through the Colonial subway at the West Shore railroad one of the wings of the plow caught in the wooden platform and ripped it to pieces So badly was the platform damaged that it was necessary to close it to passengers until repairs had been made

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# HAVE BULGARIANS INVADED GREECE?

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

London, Dec. 15.—Although the Bulgarian war office announced officially that pursuit of the Anglo-French forces has ceased, it is persistently reported that King Ferdinand's troops have crossed the Greek frontier and are attacking the Allies on Greek soil.

According to advices reaching here from Paris a big area of Greek territory has been devastated, the Allies destroying everything as they fell back.

All the indications are that the next big battle in southeastern Europe will be fought on Greek soil some where between Salonica and Gievgeli.

Heavy Anglo-French forces opposed the Bulgars on the Vardar-Doiran front. As to this phase, the Bulgarian war office issued the following official statement today:

"It is reported the French troops fought bravely—much more gallantly than the British. Our troops were opposed by 97,000 French and about 73,000 British, or more than 170,000 men all told. The Allies were supported by 600 field guns, 120 mountain guns and 80 heavy howitzers.

"Southward of Struga we attacked the Serbians very violently capturing 400 prisoners and a number of guns. Pursuit of the Serbs is being continued toward El Bassan, Albania.

"This is the day of liberation for Bulgarian Macedonia. The pursuit of the enemy has been stopped."

Bulgarian headquarters report that the Bulgars were enthusiastically received on the Doiran, the people throwing flowers upon the troops as they marched through the streets cheering loudly for King Ferdinand.

Bulgarian headquarters also announced that the British casualties fell most heavily upon the tenth and twenty-second divisions, composed of the 29th, 30th, first, 65th, 68th, and 67th infantries.

"These troops were beaten so decisively," say the Bulgarian official dispatches. "that they fled abandoning their rifles, knapsacks and other accoutrements in their wild flight. The field was literally covered with discarded equipment."

Gievgeli was practically destroyed by the Bulgarian bombardment. Shells from the mighty howitzers set fire to the town and the buildings which were not shattered by projectiles were burned.

If, as Sofia reports, the pursuit of the retreating Allies did stop at the Greek frontier it was evidently the result of an agreement between Germany and Greece. Under common circumstances it would have been the best military policy for the German allies to continue the pursuit of the Anglo-French forces while the latter were in hasty retirement.

BOMBARDIER WELLS.

ENGLAND'S BEST KNOWN PUGILIST AT THE FRONT.

**Bombardier Wells.**

Bombardier Wells, the noted English pugilist, is now at the front in France, where he occupies the unique position of physical instructor to the men on the firing line. Every day Wells takes a group of men, suffered and sore by long duty in the cramped trenches and puts them through a set of exercises to limber their muscles.

**Medford Downs Demon Rum.**

Boston, Mass., Dec. 15.—In the 17 cities outside of Boston where elections were held yesterday the license fights were the feature. In Lynn, which went dry by 1,046 votes, an investigation of the vote was started today by the Lynn License association. Eleven cities voted against license, as follows: Malden, Attleboro, Beverly, Everett, Medford, Melrose, Newburyport, Newton, Revere, Somerville and Woburn. The license cities are: Chelsea, Chicopee, Lawrence, Lowell and Worcester. Ten cities elected mayors, but party lines were drawn in only a few instances.

**Quite Formidable.**

Tommy—Pa, what is placing a man's life in jeopardy?

Pa—Trying him by jury.—Judge.

## WRITTEN BY CHILDREN.

**Some Famous Hymns That Have Outlived Their Authors.**

Some of the best known hymns in the language have been written by children. Everybody knows "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," a hymn with a unique record. It was the first hymn the author, Dr. Ray Palmer, ever wrote. It is by far the most popular of his hymns. It was written when he was a mere lad, and he survived its publication and popularity sixty years. It was set to music in the year of its birth and has always been sung to the same tune.

One of the best known hymns in the world is "There Is a Land of Pure Delight." Yet it was written by Isaac Watts before he reached manhood. It is said that he was staying in the Isle of Wight and looking across to Hampshire when he penned the lines:

Sweet fields beyond the swelling flood
Stand dressed in living green.

That fine soldierly hymn, "Oft In Danger, Oft In Woe, Onward, Christian, Onward Go," was actually written by a boy and girl who never saw each other. The boy was poor Henry Kirke White, who died before he reached manhood, and the girl was Frances Fuller-Maitland.

The fact is that when the boy poet died the little girl was not born. Exactly when Kirke White wrote his verses is not known, for they were found among his papers after his death. He had worked some sums in algebra on the same sheet.

Twenty years later the little Frances, fourteen years old, wrote the verses beginning respectively, "Let your drooping hearts be glad," "Let not sorrow dim your eye," and "Onward, then, to battle move," which made a fine hymn of what was really only a set of verses.

Frances Ridley Havergal wrote one of her best known hymns when she was a girl of fifteen. In fact, it was the first thing of any importance she ever penned. This is the pathetic hymn, "Thy Life Was Given For Me."

It was scribbled on the back of a circular in pencil and first read to an old, bedridden woman who liked it so much that the little girl repented of her first intention to burn it, and her father wrote the well known tune, Baca, to it.—London Tit-Bits.

## DANGER IN GASOLINE.

**This Substance Is Seven Times More Powerful Than Dynamite.**

Do you know that gasoline gas is seven times more powerful than dynamite? asks the National Cash Register News in an article on the use of gasoline with safety in the home. Gasoline is a thin, water white liquid which evaporates rapidly and throws off vast quantities of vapor that is inflammable and explosive when mixed with air.

Substances like cotton, linen silk, especially when unwashed and unoiled, become more or less electrified when rubbed or moved quickly in a bath of gasoline, the gasoline becoming negatively charged. Gasoline being a bad conductor, the generated electricity accumulates and reaches such tension that sparks are possible, igniting the gasoline and causing fire and explosion. Weather conditions affect the results decidedly, the dry air of winter being more dangerous than moist summer air. Gasoline explosions in garages are often brought about by static electricity, a fact definitely proved.

In case of fire tight cans are liable to explode, throwing the burning gasoline all over the premises, thereby augmenting the fire. For this reason gasoline should be stored outside the house preferably in safety type cans (cans with fine wire gauze in neck and spout).

Gasoline used for cleaning should be used outdoors, at least fifty feet from any fire, light or burning substance, never in an inclosed room. The heavy vapors travel long distances and are highly explosive. Never clean gloves on the hands. The rubbing or agitating of clothing in gasoline should be accomplished by means of a dry stick.

Gasoline stores should never be filled with a light or fire within fifty feet of the stove.

**Nitrocellulose.**

Cotton in the form of nitrocellulose is the most important component of all military propulsive explosives. Strictly speaking, the raw material used is cotton waste, or the stuff rejected in the manufacture of cotton goods. Jute, ramie, kapok fiber, sulphite pulp, span cotton and other forms of cellulose, have all been tried, but the only trustworthy material is cotton waste.

**Ferocity of Man.**

I recoil with horror at the ferociousness of man. Are there no means of coercing justice more gratifying to our nature than a waste of the blood of thousands and of the labor of millions of our fellow creatures?—Thomas Jefferson.

**Easier.**

"I'm going to the dentist's to have this tooth out. Just mind the baby 'till I come back." Husband (with alacrity)—You mind the baby, Jessie. I'll go and get a tooth pulled out!—Exchange.

**A Breach.**

Binks—Young Mr. Flighthigh is certainly a man of promise. Jinks—So I hear. I understand Miss Butterfly is suing him for fifty thousand.—Judge.

**Sidestepped.**

Bix—Can you lend me $5 for a month, old boy? Dix—What the deuce does a month old boy want with $5?—Boston Transcript.

**Differ as to Earth's Age.**

Scientists differ greatly as to the earth's age, estimates varying from 20,000,000 to 150,000,000 years. One of the first estimates was that of John Phillips, who in 1860 based on a study of stratified rock his assertion that the figure lay somewhere "between 38,000,000 and 96,000,000 years."

## A PRACTICAL COAT.

**This Youthful Effect Is One That Still Holds Popular.**

FOR ONE PIECE FROCKS.

For one piece frocks wide striped corduroy is used for this fetching coat with its modish bit of fur around the high collar and deep cuffs. Fastened with novelty buttons, low belted and well flared, this garment means "good style." With it go smart buttoned boots and a dashing turban.

## CHRISTMAS CANDIES.

**Four Picked Recipes For Favorite Holiday Candies.**

Pinoche.—Two and one-half cupfuls of brown sugar, one-half cupful of cream, butter the size of an egg, one-half cupful of chopped walnuts, one-half cupful of chopped almonds, one teaspoonful of vanilla. Boil the sugar, cream and butter together twenty minutes; add the nuts and vanilla and beat well. When smooth and creamy pour into buttered tins. When cool cut in squares.

Chocolate Squares.—One cupful of sugar, one quarter cake of chocolate, one-half cupful of molasses, one-half cupful of milk, one half cupful of butter. Mix this all together and boil it twenty minutes; cool it a very little and add one teaspoonful of vanilla. Pour in pans and, when cool, mark off in squares.

Nut Creams.—Three cupfuls of light brown sugar, whites of two eggs, one cupful of boiling water, one cupful of chopped nuts, one teaspoonful of vanilla. Boil the sugar and water, stirring and beating till the sugar is all dissolved, then let it boil without stirring till it spins a thread. Remove from the fire and let it stand on the table for just a moment, to be sure it has stopped boiling, then pour it over the stiff whites of the eggs, beating with a wire beater all the time; put in the vanilla while you are beating. When it is creamy and getting stiff add the nuts, stir well and spread on buttered paper. If you prefer do not use vanilla but almond flavoring, and add almonds instead of other nuts.

Candied Orange Peel.—Peel of three oranges, water and sugar. Cut the orange peel into strips one-eighth inch wide and of as even length as possible. Put into a saucepan, cover with cold water and bring slowly to boiling point. Add fresh water, bring to the boiling point again and repeat the process four times. Now make a syrup, using proportionately one pound of sugar to one cupful of water. Place the cooked orange peel in this and simmer slowly until the syrup is almost entirely absorbed. Cool and roll the strips in granulated sugar. The same process can be employed with lemon rind or grapefruit rind. A mixture of all three in a box makes a very acceptable little holiday gift.

**Neighborliness.**

Be interested in your neighbor, but not curious.

Borrow not and then you may not be asked to lend.

Respect your neighbor's line full of clean clothes and do not select her wash day for the beating of your rugs.

It is said walls have ears. Therefore speak low if you would keep your affairs private.

Don't consider your neighbor's house a stepping-in place to enter without knocking.

Don't start a quarrel over your neighbor's children, but preserve friendliness.

Make your little girl use the soft pedal when practicing if there be sickness in your neighbor's house.

Neighborliness should be nothing more than a steady courtesy.

**How to Utilize Burned Out Gas Mantels as Polisher.**

Gas mantels should not be thrown away when broken. Instead, crumble the white, net-like material into a small box and keep it to use in polishing silver. It is also a good jewelry cleaner.


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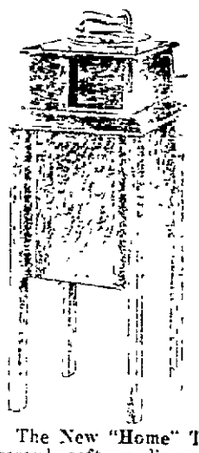

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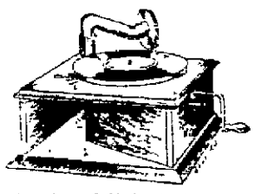

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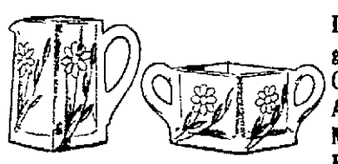

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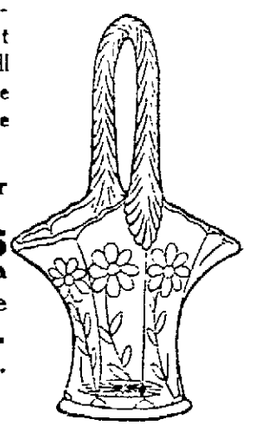

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Cut Glass Nappies ... 4.50 to 79c

FLOWER VASES, BUD VASES, FERN DISHES, SALAD DISHES, PICKEL DISHES, SUGAR AND CREAMER, BERRY BOWL, LARGE OR SMALL TANKARD.

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Children's Silk Lisle Hosiery in black, white and colors ... 25c
Children's Buster Brown Hosiery 4 pair guaranteed for 4 months, black, white and tan ... 25c
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4 in Box $1.00.
Boy's Round Ticket Gordon Hosiery in fine and coarse rib ... 25c
Children's Silk Lisle Hosiery in black, white and tan ... 12c, 15c

MEN'S HOSIERY

Men's Phoenix Silk Hosiery in black, white and colors. Pair ... 50c, 1.00
Men's Fancy and Clock Stitched Hosiery in Xmas boxes Pair ... 50c
Men's Silk Hosiery Medallon Make, excellent for wear Pair ... 25c
Men's Gordon and Phoenix Make Cashmere Hosiery ... 25c, 50c
Men's Silk Lisle Hose, 4 pair in box, black and colors. Box ... 50c

LADIES HOSIERY.

Ladies' Boot Silk Hosiery, all colors ... 25c

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Men's $1.00 Quality Negligee Shirts ... 79c
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## Christmas Slippers

Here are a few suggestions:

Women's "Comfy" Slippers of cloth, deeply padded soles and heels low cut, trimmed with large silk pompon ... 59c

Women's felt Juliette style rest Slippers with flexible leather soles and low broad heels, trimmed with fiber plush and cut-out bows of felt 1.00, 1.25

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Considerable interest has been aroused among thinking people by a tractate published by Dr. Rudolph Diedling of the New York State Commission of Prisons on the treatment of convicts. The New York newspapers, with their characteristic preference for sensation rather than solid fact, have unfairly presented the Doctor in the aspect of a vindictive persecutor of unfortunate criminals, whereas the fact is entirely different. His record shows that he has always been in favor of humane discipline. Moreover, he knows what he is talking about, since he started in twenty years ago as physician and surgeon for the Elmira Reformatory and has kept informed in penological matters ever since. Unfortunately for the interests of the public, he is the only one of the seven commissioners who has any such practical knowledge, the others, and Warden Osborne with them, having derived their views at "highbrow" social functions.

The trouble with people who know nothing about criminals except what they read in fiction is that they do not realize that there are two well-defined classes of offenders—which may be roughly described as fools and rascals. The former have yielded to temptation, are sorry for it, and may be so educated and influenced that they will not fall again. The latter are innately vicious and will resume criminal operations the moment they are released and find opportunity. This is a fact in spite of the maudlin yawps of such individuals as Thomas Mott Osborne and Henry Ford. It is a crying shame that these two classes should be mixed in any institution, for the rascals are absolutely certain to corrupt the fools. The latter might be helped by such a system of "self-government" as Osborne has introduced in Sing Sing, but self-government by the vicious for the vicious means increased facilities for indulging in the various kinds of disgusting vices which have spread so rapidly through our penal institutions.

We agree with Dr. Diedling that it is "ridiculous" to contend that the idea of punishment should be excluded from the discipline of our penal institutions. This idea of punishment has nothing to do with brutality. It means hard work and deprivation of such entertainments as the "movies," baseball matches and theatrical entertainments which are free to the Sing Sing criminals, but which are beyond the reach of many honest workingmen. As the Doctor argues, no prisoner should ever be released until he is manifestly repentant and has done what he could to make reparation for his crime and it frequently happens that the only reparation possible comes through the endurance of punishment. Prisons are primarily for the protection of society, and the reformation of culprits is merely an important incidental. Probably most of the self-styled "prison reformers" mean well, but their brain cavities seem to be filled with mush and milk instead of with the proper article.

One result of the muck-raking of the last twenty years or so is that the average or typical citizen regards a corporation as being necessarily a tremendous money-maker. How great this error is is shown by a paragraph in a recent address by Vice-Chairman Hurley of the Federal Trade Commission. It reads:

Leaving out of consideration the banking, railroad and public utilities corporations, and referring only to those that have to do with trade and industry, we find that there are about 250,000 business corporations in the country. The astonishing thing is that of those, over 100,000 have no net income whatever. In addition 90,000 make less than $5,000 a year while only the 60,000 remaining, the more successful ones, make $5,000 a year and over.

Judging from other remarks by Mr. Hurley, it is evident that the Commission is not going to try to increase the burdens of these corporations which are run at a loss or at an infinitesimal profit. It is obvious that you cannot kill a corpse or get blood out of a stone. But these poor suffering concerns are not going to be let alone. Far from it. The Commission is going to send its agents to see them and tell them how to make money enough to make it worth while for the tax-gatherer to visit them. These agents will try to persuade these pauper corporations to put in "standard systems of bookkeeping and cost accounting" and to standardize everything. As the law now stands, the Commission cannot compel any concern to turn over to itself the management of its business, but it may come to that. Something must be done to make places for the faithful. To the "tired business man" there seems little to choose between the Government inspector who is his natural enemy and the Government adviser who is his pestiferous friend.

## LITTLE LAUGHS.

Mrs. Kawler—"Do you consider Alice very good-looking?" Mrs. Blunderby—"Oh, Alice is pretty enough; but I wouldn't call her an Adonis."—Boston Transcript.

"What is the best way to preserve peaches?" inquired Mrs. Wombat. "Keep 'em on a high shelf," advised Mrs. Flubdub, who has enterprising kids.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Randall—"I just borrowed five dollars from a friend." Rogers—"Give me his address quick." Randall—"Why?" Rogers—"A man who would lend money to you would lend it to any one."—Life.

"A great deal depends on the point of view," remarked the ready-made philosopher. "That's a fact," replied Broncho Bob. "It depends entirely on where you're sittin' whether four acres look perfectly beautiful or somethin' awful."—Washington Star.

"Mr. Nooritch," said the art dealer, "here's a very fine copy of Gainsborough's celebrated painting, The Blue Boy. I'll sell it to you comparatively cheap." "I don't want it." "Why not. It would be just the thing for your new home." "It seems to be Little Boy Blue, all right, but where's his horn, and the cows, and the corn?"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### The Guilty One.

Gr-rr-r-b! The train drew up with a mighty crash and shock between stations.

"Is it an accident? What's happened?" inquired a worried-looking individual of the conductor.

"Some one pulled the bell-cord!" shouted the conductor. "The express knocked our last car off the track! Take us four hours before the track is clear!"

"Great Scott! Four hours! I am supposed to be married today!" groaned the passenger.

The conductor, a bigoted bachelor, raised his eyebrows suspiciously.

"Look here," he demanded, "I suppose you ain't the chap that pulled the cord?"—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

### Her Fish.

Augustine Birrell, the Secretary for Ireland, has recently returned home from the war front in France, where he had many interesting and exciting experiences. Some time ago, while traveling in a third class railway carriage in the north of England, Mr. Birrell found himself in an amusing although very embarrassing position. He was only just in time to catch the train and sat down hurriedly next to a little girl in shawl and clogs. Happening to glance at her a moment or two afterward he saw that she appeared very uneasy and was regarding him with no great favor. Then it was that it dawned upon him that he was sitting upon her newspaper. "Here my dear," said Mr. Birrell, pulling the paper from under him and handing it to her. "I'm sorry!" The little girl did not look quite satisfied, but she said nothing till a few minutes later when the train drew up at the station. "Please, sir," she then inquired, meekly, as she rose to get out, "may I have my fried fish? It was in the paper!"

### A Spell of Sickness.

Doctor Briggs received a note from a farmer living back quite a ways in the country, requesting him to come as quickly as possible to see his child who was very sick with "a very bad cold."

The doctor examined the child and then turned to the mother.

"Don't you know," he asked, "that your little girl is coming down with the measles?"

"Yes, doctor," was the woman's reply, "I knew she was."

"Then why in the world," asked the doctor, "did you write me that she had a very bad cold?"

The woman hesitated for a moment, then looking at her husband, she said, with sullen frankness:

"Neither him nor me knew how to spell measles."—New York Times.

## WITTENBERG.

Wittenberg, Dec. 15.—The Willing Workers Sciety of the M. E. Church will give a Christmas cantata and oyster supper in the church hall on Saturday evening, December 25 at 7:45 o'clock. If decidedly stormy it will be given on Monday evening. Admission ten cents. Every one come and enjoy a social hour with us.

Mrs. Anna Eltinge and daughter, Maza, have returned home after visiting relatives in Yonkers and New Jersey.

Miss Beatrice R. Shultis of Bearsville spent Saturday night and Sunday with Gladys H. Short.

Miss Lillian M. Shultis and Lucas Countryman were married Wednesday noon by the Rev. G. O. Wilsey at the M. E. parsonage.

Floyd E. Stone has returned home after visiting relatives in Lake Katrine.

Mrs. Kate Gulnick is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Watson J. Riseley.

Miss Ethel M. Short, who is employed at Kingston, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr and Mrs. S. L. Short.

Miss Rachel Shultis of Bearsville is spending some time with her niece, Mrs. Oakleigh Shultis.


### High Class Shirts for Men.

The renowned Arrow and Earl and Wilson Shirts—made of materials chosen with care for weight, firmness, best patterns and good laundering—at $1.50 and $2.00 at the Men's Shop, 369½ Wall street.—Advertisement.


# KINGSTON FIVE IN SECOND PLACE

### Standing of the Clubs.

| | W. | L. | pc. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jersey City | 10 | 4 | .714 |
| Kingston | 9 | 4 | .692 |
| Stamford | 8 | 4 | .667 |
| Paterson | 6 | 9 | .400 |
| Brooklyn | 4 | 7 | .364 |
| Elizabeth | 2 | 11 | .154 |

### Schedule for This Week.

Thursday, December 16—Kingston at Stamford; Brooklyn at Jersey City.

Friday, December 17—Paterson at Brooklyn; Stamford at Kingston.

Saturday, December 18—Kingston at Paterson; Brooklyn at Elizabeth.

Sunday, December 19—Stamford at North Hudson.

For excitement in the world of sport, the closeness of the struggle between Jersey City, Kingston and Stamford for first place in the Interstate Basketball League is clearly entitled to the palm. Each week since the beginning of the season, the lead has alternated between the three, with one team holding first place today and tomorrow dropping back to third position. During the week just closed Jersey City regained the top notch, ousting Stamford. Kingston followed the example of the Jerseyites and are still clutching at their coattails in the standing of the clubs and is in position to jump ahead of the Skeeters if they should falter in any game this week.

The brand of ball displayed by this trio is causing favorable comment among basketball fans in this section, for never before in the history of professional basketball has three such evenly matched quintets been associated together in the one league. Jersey City and Kingston were both victorious in their two encounters, while Stamford was compelled to lower its colors to the Brooklyn team who flashed a form superior to any shown heretofore this season, and which, if continued, will land the organization from the City of Churches well up in the race ere another fortnight passes. Paterson and Brooklyn are having a fine battle for fourth place that is fully as close as that existing in the first division. The Patersonites with a collection of veteran players have not displayed the caliber of basketball that they are capable of, and as soon as they do a big improvement in their standing can be expected. Elizabeth was unfortunate in having the strong Kingstons and dropped a double header, but as plans have been laid for the introduction of some new blood in the Betsytown line up, their chances of bettering their position shortly will be greatly enhanced.

The Troys of North Hudson, who were admitted to membership at last week's meeting, will make their debut on next Sunday afternoon when they inaugurate their league season at Union Hill with the Stamford, Conn., team as opponents.

### State League May Disband.

The New York State League is in the wilderness and it is doubtful if the league will continue after the holiday season. The Albany Knickerbocker Press has the following to say of the conditions in the league:

"The Troy basketball team will continue to play in the New York State League this week but no game will be played in Troy, it was announced in Utica yesterday. Troy played in Utica Saturday night and yesterday a dispatch from that city said that the Trojans would continue as a road team at least another week, but may withdraw entirely after that. The question will be decided in a day or two, it was said.

Poor attendance at all of the home games is responsible for the action of the Troy management. Fewer than 400 spectators have been turning out to see the games and while the expenses are not as great as they have been in other seasons it is almost impossible for the team to continue and break even.

Schenectady is proving to be the best city in the circuit but there's a reason why the game should pay there for the home team has taken nine of the ten games it has played and has a three and one-half game lead over Utica, which is in second place. Utica is the only club that has succeeded in defeating Schenectady.

Gloversville during the past week succeeded in breaking in the win column, but the team has been beaten nine of the ten starts and this city, too, may have to withdraw because the fans will not turn out while the team loses game after game.

## PRIZES TO AD WRITERS.

### John A. Lennox of Glenford Awarded Eighmey First Prize.

John A. Lennox of Glenford was awarded first prize by the judges in the high school advertising contest originated by S. E. Eighmey, the progressive downtown dry goods merchant, who had offered three prizes for the best advertisements that could be used for his business to any boy or girl attending high school. The three judges were all newspaper men, being Floyd Edinger, Walter Van Steenburgh and Harold Van Deusen. They were entertained at dinner at the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening by Mr. Eighmey, who afterward left them to their deliberations. A large number of creditable advertisements were submitted and after careful consideration of them all it was decided that Mr. Lennox was entitled to first prize, a five dollar gold piece; Alfred Schmid of No. 42 Johnston avenue, second prize, $2.50 in gold; and third prize to Stanley Gregory of No. 328 Broadway of $1. The advertisement awarded first place by the judges appears in tonight's issue of The Freeman.

## TEN AND TWENTY YEARS AGO.

December 15, 1905—Benjamin Hendrickson, aged 18 years, was fatally crushed by cars in the West Shore Yard.

The Onteora ran aground off Saugerties.

The Rev. Frank Hall Wright was conducting Evangelical services in the First Dutch Church.

Unsecured liabilities of the Peckham Co., were placed at $100,000.

Judge Betts upheld the constitutionality of the mortgage tax law in the case of George E. Green against John D. Fratsher as county clerk.

Isaac I. Smith succumbed to pneumonia at the age of 74.

Navigation closed on the Hudson River.

December 15, 1895—Eight-inch ice was being cut from Lake Katrine.

The C. V. Hester Drum Corps closed a fair.

Chief Engineer Kolts of the fire department was a candidate for re-election.

The Rev. Dr. Storey, Dr. Oakes and Prof. Spencer addressed the students at a reception in Spencer's Business College.

Peter Barmann was interesting Kingston saloon keepers in a plan for the organization of a brewing company with $200,000 to $300,000 capital. The brewery would have a capacity of a million barrels of beer and ale a year and employ 75 men.

The common council granted a franchise to the Rondout and Eddyville Electric Railway Co.

George Osterhoudt was in jail for alleged robbery of Capt. Jcaob Snyder's safe in High Falls.


Advertisement.

# BOOKS POPULAR AS XMAS GIFTS

**William O'Reilly's Comprehensive Lines Will Meet All Demands Satisfactorily—Moderate Pricing the Rule at This Store.**

(By The Freeman's Special Xmas Writer.)

William O'Reilly of 530 Broadway has the answer to that question which confronts everybody just about this time, "What shall I give?" Whether he is your father, husband or just a beau, mother, sister or some other fellow's sister, just the right gift thing is here at the right price. This year, more so than ever before, books are popular for gift purposes, and Mr. O'Reilly's assortments are immense.

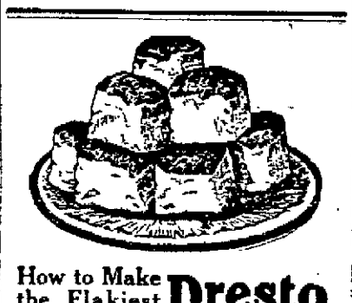
Here are Copyrighted Fiction books that formerly sold at $1.50 for 50c. Included among the titles are "Laddie," a true blue story by Gene Stratton Porter; "Once to Every Man," by Larry Evans; "A Romance of Billy-Goat Hill," by Alice Hegan Price; "Bobbie, General Manager," by Alice Higgins Prouty; "Daddy Long Legs," by Jean Webster; and plenty of others. Among the latest fiction stories are "Pollyanna Grows Up," "Michael O'Halloran," by Gene Stratton Porter; "Anne of Avonlea," by L. M. Montgomery; "Anne of the Island," also by Montgomery; "K," by Mary Roberts Rhinehart, and "Contrary Mary," by Temple Bailey. All of these books are attractively bound and the recipient of them will be enabled to spend many a cold winter's night pleasantly perusing the pages of absorbing interest.

There are many other good books for boys and girls. Catholic prayer books and rosaries and a general line of Catholic Church goods; also Protestant Bibles and Testaments and devotional books for other religious denominations. Any of Mr. O'Reilly's books will make ideal gifts.


### Requisite of Art.

What is wanted in a work of art is an unforced, natural, adequate correspondence between fancy and form, matter and spirit, so that one shall not be distracted by its naturalism, mysticism, cubism, whatnotism; but shall simply be moved in a deep impersonal way by perception of another's vision.—John Galsworthy in the Atlantic Monthly.


Smoke "Humo" cigars, 5 cent straight.—Advertisement.



How to Make the Flakiest Biscuits You Ever Tasted

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Simply this: 2 cups Presto, 2 tablespoons butter, ¾ cup milk. Work the butter into the Presto, add milk slowly, mixing with knife. Roll gently on board dusted with Presto. Cut small. Bake 12 to 15 minutes.

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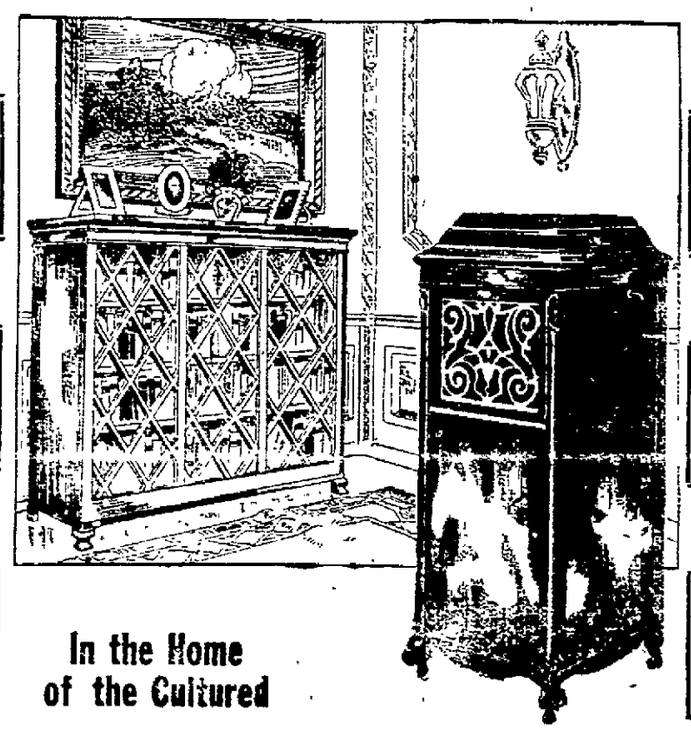

Unbreakable Records

New Christmas Records

Ambrola Records

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Wherever good paintings are appreciated—
Wherever good music is understood—
There the Edison Diamond Disc is preferred.
For it Re-Creates the original. Not mechanically but musically—is just the way the music lovers prefers.
It is the choice of those whose tastes are truly artistic.
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**All Hart Schaffner & Marx and Fruhauf Bros & Co. Suits and Overcoats**

included in this Sale throughout our entire store a reduction of

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**Twenty Per Cent Until Christmas**

All sales strictly cash.
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We will refund your money or exchange.

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In both Nickel and Brown ware, beautifully mounted. Prices $1.25 to $5.50.

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In both Nickel and Copper finish. Prices $6.00 to $12.50.

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Wednesday, Dec. 15 **"The Cup of Life"** Featuring BESSIE BARRISCALE, 5 Parts

MATINEE DAILY, 2:45 EVENINGS, 7:30, 9:00


# ALL ASHOKAN CAMP MULES ARE PEACEFUL

The blizzard effectually broke up the trial term of the supreme court. Judge Rudd had announced his willingness to stay as long as was necessary to clear up the calendar, but the snow cleared it most thoroughly.

The last business done was the dismissal of the complaint in the case of Secondo Cascelli against Winston and Company. Cascelli, at one time in the employ of Winston and Company as a mule driver, claimed to have been kicked by one of the Virginia mules of the Winstons, and to have sustained permanent injuries, whereupon he sued to recover $10,000. The Winstons defended upon the ground that the mule was a peaceful one, never had kicked before and never has kicked since, and that the kicking of Cascelli was due to his experimenting with the ability of the mule to resent undue familiarity.

After the case had been pending for some time an offer was made to compromise it for a much smaller sum, an offer which the Winstons declined to accept, their attitude being that they own many hundreds of mules, every one of which was carefully selected and tested, and that if teamsters so conducted themselves as to bring about an encounter with a mule, Winston and Company were not responsible for the results.

There having been no appearance for the plaintiff at any time during the term, and the case having been upon the day calendar, and the plaintiff's attorney having been notified that it would be moved on Monday, Judge Rudd dismissed the complaint. Hobart S. Bird of New York city represented Cascelli, Judge Clearwater was counsel for the Winstons.

The head mule keeper of Winston and Company was in attendance at the court house and said that this particular mule was a most valuable one, was still owned by the firm, and was as gentle as a baby.

### SOUTH RONDOUT.

South Rondout, Dec. 15.—Don't fail to attend the concert to be given on Wednesday evening by the South Rondout Choral Society. The young people have worked hard for the past six weeks under the direction of their teacher, Mr. Phillips, that they might be able to present to the people of South Rondout a musical treat, and they hope that they will show their appreciation by attending the concert, thereby encouraging the young people and to help a worthy cause. Doors open at 7:30; concert at 8. Admission, adults, 25 cents; children, 10 cents. Below is the program that will be presented:

PART I.

Piano Solo:
a. Pierrette—Air de Ballet . . . —Chaminade
b. Selected . . . . . Miss Florence Marchant.
Chorus—We Will Give Thanks (from Cantata "Belshazzer") . . . . . —Butterfield
Solo—Sing, Smile, Slumber . . . . . Miss Julia Meyers.
Duet—Home to our Mountains (from Opera "Il Trovatore") . . . —Verdi
Mrs. Joseph Hotaling, Mr. Phillips.
Recitation:
a. The Swan Song . . . . . .
b. Selected . . . . . Miss Cole.
Solo
a. Somewhere a Voice is Calling . . —Tate
b. The Rosary . . . . . Nevin
Mrs. Wallace Boyce.

PART II.

Chorus—Happy and Light of Heart are Those (from Opera "Bohemian Girl") . . . . . Balfe
Solo—Open the Gates of the Temple. —Knapp
Mr. Phillips.
Trio—A Little Farm Well Tilled . . . —Hook
Mr. Longyear, Mr. Marchant, Mr. Hicks.
Solo—Ye Pretty Birds . . . . Gumbert
Miss Mildred Olsen.
Ladies' Quartet:
a. Medley From the South . Piks
b. Sleep Kentucky Babe. Gabriel
Miss Hyde, Miss Marchant, Mrs. Boyce, Mrs. Josie Hotaling.
Chorus—Protect Us Through the Coming Night . . . . . Baumbach

The members of the chorus are: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hicks, Mrs. Wallace Boyce, Mrs. Edd Dunn, Mrs. Josie Hotaling, the Misses Bertha and Mildren Olsen, Antoinette Hyde, Julia Myers, Florence Marchant, Florence Haines, Chrissie Becker, Florence McDonald, Elizabeth and Katherine Cole, Ruth Marchant, C. E. Longyear, Cortland Hicks and Edison Marchant and Mr. Phillips, Miss Harriet Olsen and Miss Florence Marchant accompanied. The piano used was kindly loaned by Mr Hicks.

At the monthly business meeting of the C. E. Society on Friday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Josephine Hotaling; vice president, Harry Mains; recording secretary, Miss Harriet Olsen; corresponding secretary, Clarence Hyde; treasurer, Miss Ruth Marchant.

The C. E. meeting on Sunday evening was led by Harry Mains.

A special meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. E. Marchant.

Henry Myers of New York has been spending a few days at his home here.

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held at the parsonage on Wednesday afternoon, when the committees of the fair reported that the sum of $131.75 was made at the fair. They have a few aprons and other things still for sale at the home of Mrs. Isaac Hotaling on Front street.

Wallace Boyce of New York spent Sunday with his family.

Miss Marjorie Watts of Kingston spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Crittendon, on Front street.

Mrs. John Boice and son, Donald, of Kingston and Mrs. Claud Chamberlin of Ashton visited their aunt, Miss Lizzie Clair, one day last week.

Miss Elizabeth Cole spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. John Shults, at Saugerties.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Dunn of Beacon visited Mr Dunn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn, on Connelly Heights Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dunn have returned home from a visit to relatives in New York.

Miss Florence Marchant spent Wednesday in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Pardee has been spending a few days with her son, Henry, and wife, at Shandaken.

Mrs. Harry Bilyeu and Mr. and Mrs. George Bigler of Port Ewen visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Bigler on Second street last Sunday.

Freddie Marquard of Oneonta spent a couple of days last week with his aunt, Mrs. Henry Stingle, on Second street.

John Durkin and daughter, Vera, of Hoboken visited Mr. Durkin's mother on Sunday.

### ST. REMY.

St. Remy Dec. 14.—Mrs. David Ackerman entertained her Sunday school class on Friday evening in honor of her cousin, Mrs. Edgar Ackerman, who returned to her home at Auburn the following Saturday.

Mrs. Simon Van Vliet spent Saturday with Mrs. Halstead at Kingston.

Oscar MacCullough is visiting relatives at Amsterdam.

Mr. and Mrs. Eltinge Roosa and daughter, Helen, visited his parents in this place on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Plank enjoyed an auto ride Sunday.

Lester Furgerson and wife of Port Ewen visited Mr. and Mrs. Furgerson the week end.

Mrs. Nealie Krom and Mrs. Edgar Ackerman visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McElhenny of Wallkill the past week.

### Savings Band Dividend.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Rondout Savings Bank, held this morning, a semi-annual dividend at the rate of 4 per cent per annum was declared for the six months ending December 31, 1915.

### Shirt Goodness.

No matter what a man's size or his taste may be, he can be pleased with Shirts—newest patterns in Madras and Percale—in Christmas boxes, at $1.00.—Advertisement.


# People Who Are Prudent and Far-Sighted Enough to Save

their money the year round for a special purpose, are invariably shrewd enough to seek a good investment for it.

## The VanWagenen Store Offers

through its wonderful Christmas Stocks, hundreds of opportunities to invest this money advantageously in merchandise that will appeal to those who expect good returns on their expenditures.

## "Christmas Club" Checks Invested in Gift-Goods at VanWagenen's Will Represent Double Dividends

*A Dividend of Saving—and a Dividend of Satisfaction With Every Purchase!*

Kingston's Foremost Millinery Shop

Announces the Progress of Our

December Clearance of Trimmed Hats

*Smart, becoming silk velvet Hats for women and misses—*

Special $1.98 Designed to sell for $3.98 to $5

Every Hat is now reduced to $5.00 —that formerly sold up to $12

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**Furs as Gifts**

Particularly when they are so popular and of increasing value

We provided liberally for the present Fur demand and made our selection with the same care that characterizes all the VanWagenen merchandise.

Whether you want a small Neck Piece or a full length Coat, you may depend on quality and workmanship, whatever the price.

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Matched Sets 9.95 to $150 Scarfs $5 to $50

Second Floor—Apparel Shop

Your Christmas Shopping Tomorrow Should Include a

**Visit to Our Syrian Gift Bazaar**

On our second floor—take Elevator!

Mr. Henry Merhige, a native of Syria, is in charge of this exhibit, which includes a most unusual assortment of

Cluny, Filet and Madeira Pieces, Hand-embroidered Silk Kimonos

All of which are priced so reasonably as to make the exhibit one of extraordinary interest, in view of their desirability for Gifts.

*Come Now While the Showing is at its Best*

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**VANWAGENEN'S**

"Always Something New, Different and Better"



**Star Theatre**

Every One a Feature Picture

**Pictures Tonight**

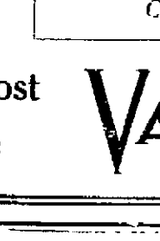
"The Outlaw Reforms," a great western drama. Tom Wise in the "Magic Bottle."

**5 Reels In All 5**

Matinee at 3, 5 and 10. Evenings 7:30 and 9. Admission 10c.

Look. Don't forget that every child attending our Saturday Matinee receives a bag of candy free.





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Try to heat all out doors. Use a Rochester Radiator and stop wasting coal.

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**Canfield Stove Co.**

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Rondout, N. Y.

(The Big Downtown Store.)


### CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE.

Special Assessment.

Notice is hereby given that I have received the warrant for the collection of the special assessment of 75 per cent of the expense incurred in the construction of a sanitary sewer, for Hemlock avenue and VanGaasbeek street between existing sewers in East Chester street and Shuster property on Van Gaasbeek street, in the city of Kingston.

The same has been left with me for collection at my office in the city hall, in said city; that for thirty days from the date of this notice the said assessment may be paid without additional fees or charges, and that for the twenty succeeding days 2 per centum additional will be collected.

If any of the said special assessment shall remain unpaid at the time last mentioned, I shall give a written or printed notice to the person or persons against whom such assessment stands charged, requiring them to pay such unpaid assessment to me at my office within thirty days thereafter, with 5 per centum fees thereon, and one dollar for such notice, as required by the city charter.

Dated at the treasurer's office, city of Kingston, December 6th, 1915.

F. H. DOREMUS, City Treasurer.


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Of winter warns of the continuous touch to come. Are your bins filled with

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If not, better fill them now and keep them full, as the supply of coal and transportation facilities will prove short for anything but a very mild season. Call on

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THE ULSTER & DELAWARE RAILROAD

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT SEPT. 12, 1915:

Trains are due to leave this city as follows:

Rondout Sta., *6.25 a. m., †2.15 p. m.

Union Sta. *7.00 a. m., †2.40 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows:

Union Sta., †11:35 a. m., *5:30, †7:55 p. m.

Rondout Sta., †11:55 a. m., *5.45, †7:45 p. m.

* Daily. † Daily except Sunday's Sunday only.

N. A SIMS, General Passenger Agent.

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## AS WE GROW OLDER

our minds are quite as active as in former years but our strength does not respond when we need it most; perhaps the kidneys are weak, the liver torpid, rheumatic pains or stiffened joints beset us, and we cannot easily throw off the colds that winter brings.

What we need is the rich cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion to renew the blood and carry strength to every organ of the body, while its glycerine soothes the respiratory tract, and its hypophosphites strengthen the excitable nerves.

Scott's Emulsion is a scientific oil-food, of unusual benefit to those past fifty years—particularly during the colder seasons, it imparts warmth and creates strength. One bottle will prove its worth. No alcohol or harmful drugs.

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## Gregory & Co.'s Kingston's Xmas Buying Center

No Christmas was ever so rich in happy surprises. Come and share with us the holiday air of gladness that breathes from every nook and corner of this great store. See the hundreds of pretty small gifts all spread out on the main floor.

### AT 25c

Tea Tiles, Steins, Glass Baskets, Mugs, Ramokins, Fancy Plates, Salads and Peppers.

### AT 50c

Fancy Plates, Glass Vases, Match Safes, Ash Trays, Jugs, Condensed Milk Holders, Baby Plates and Tea Pots, Fancy Fruits.

### AT 75c

Fancy Baskets, Rose Jars, Cake Baskets, Milk Jugs, Creams and Sugars, Fern Baskets, Pin Trays, Mayonnaise Bowls

### AT $1.00

White and Gold Goods, Fancy Plates, China Bedside Sets, Lemonade Jugs.

### AT $1.50

Trays, Jelly Comports, Mayonnaise Bowls, Olive Dishes, Flower Baskets, Creams and Sugars, Rose Jars, Fancy Baskets, etc.

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Open Evenings Until Xmas.



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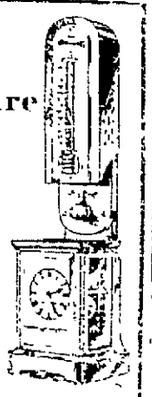

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# MATTERS BEFORE THE SURROGATE

In the surrogate's court, Surrogate Gill has directed that letters of administration on the estate of Bella Rosen of the town of Rochester issue to Augustus Shufeldt on ...s filing a bond in the sum of $100. The petition for letters of administration was filed by Walter Davenport, who is owner of a mortgage on property in the town of Rochester in which the decedent had an interest, and an administrator was necessary to be appointed in order that a clear title be given. None of the decedent's family desired to be appointed and the county treasurer was unable to attend to the matter in the event of his appointment. Virgil B. Van Wagonen appeared for the petitioner.

Letters of administration on the estate of Kate Bamberg of Ellenville were issued to her brother, Theodore Bamberg. The value of the estate is $300 personal property. District Attorney Cunningham appeared for the administrator.

A hearing was had in the matter of the judicial settlement of the account of Guy Kelder and Mary Kelder as executors of the estate of Sarah Jane Kelder of this city and a decree passing and approving her account was granted. Judge Clearwater appeared for the executors.

In the estate of Clinton Scovill of the town of Woodstock, a hearing was had in the matter of the judicial settlement of the account of Senator Charles W. Walton as executor, and the matter was adjourned to December 27 for further hearing. Judge Clearwater appeared for the executor.

A hearing was had in the matter of the judicial settlement of the account of Libbie B. Klothe and Eleanor L. Klothe as executrices of the estate of Libbie Klothe of this city and the matter was adjourned for further hearing until December 28. Frederick Stephan, Jr., appeared for the executrices and John T. Cahill for other interested parties.

### LACKAWACK.

Lackawack, Dec. 14.—The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Irwin died on Monday morning. Funeral Thursday at 10 o'clock at the Lackawack Baptist Church. Burial at Yagerville Cemetery.

We all regret the sad news of Mr. Hunt's death as we have lost a good friend who will be missed by all who knew him. He was always ready to help anyone in need and was a great church worker.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson of Liberty were visiting their son, Lewis Simpson, and wife and Mrs. Byford over Sunday; also Mr. and Mrs. Dyce and Mr. Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smith are spending the winter in Warwick, Orange county.

John Leidner is having a new porch put on his house. Edward Stangel is the carpenter.

Raymond Herman and Rule Davis are cutting wood for George Leidner.

Joe Herman, Jr., and Ed. Barthee have been cutting wood for Mr McEntire.

George DeDole and Mr. McEntire Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryers were visiting Mr. and Brown's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Simpson were visiting at Mrs. Malon Donivan's on Friday at Eureka.

Malon Donivan's female dog strayed away Thursday morning and anyone finding her and returning or sending him word will be rewarded for their trouble.

John Irwin was up to attend the funeral of his brother's baby.

Charles Stangle returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Wakeman was a caller in this place Sunday.

### W. C. T. U. Day of Prayer.

On Thursday the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Kingston in unison with the W. C. T. U. throughout the United States will hold a day of prayer. The Kingston Union's meeting will be held in St. James's Methodist Episcopal Church parlors and will open at 11:30 o'clock in the morning and close at four o'clock in the afternoon. An interesting program has been prepared. The Rev. T. H. Bargawanath, pastor of St. James's Church, and the Rev. George Scofield, pastor of the Highland Presbyterian Church, will be the speakers. Mrs. Belle Country, the W. C. T. U. president, will give an interesting Bible talk, and Mrs. Eliza Young, County Press Superintendent, will lead in a chain of prayers. Mr. Phillips and Mrs. Morris will render vocal selections. All are invited.

### Christmas Tree For Hospital.

Along with the Christmas weather, in response to the appeal in The Freeman, came a telephone message from Joseph Garbarino of Broadway, to the effect that they had a large number of fine Christmas trees, and that any one of them they would be glad to give to the Tuberculosis Hospital for their Christmas there. Each year, for several years, Mr. Garbarino has made a similar generous gift, and his kindness is most heartily appreciated by the patients at the hospital each season, and by those who are interested in making the Christmas time as happy as may be for those shut-ins.

### Wanna Sanitarium News.

George Reed of Haines Falls, who was recently operated upon at the Wanna Sanitarium, is doing well.

Mrs. Chester Miller of Napanoch, who underwent an operation at the Wanna, has sufficiently recovered to return to her home on Monday.

Fred Van Voorhis of Saugerties, a surgical patient at the Wanna, is making a good recovery.

Harry Sahloff of Hasbrouck avenue this city, is convalescing at the Wanna Sanitarium, following an operation.

Smoke "Humo" cigars. 5 cent straight.—Advertisement.


Advertisement.

# CHOOSE IT AT FORSYTH & DAVIS'

**Delightful Christmas Gift Suggestions That Will Fill the Shopper With Holiday Enthusiasm—A Variable Yuletide Bazaar.**

(By The Freeman's Special Xmas Writer.)

Christmas shoppers will find a thousand answers to every gift question at Forsyth & Davis's, and with the utmost satisfaction to both giver and recipient. Every line carried by this firm is now at its best—a best that is better than ever. The store itself not only presents a holiday picture, a marvel of beauty in its Yuletide trim, but it is more than ever the store of convenience and good service and a pleasing arrangement of holiday displays that add much to the comfort and pleasure of Yuletide gift-seekers.

"From Forsyth & Davis'" means that a gift is of exclusive design and the best workmanship. Carefully selected from the best shops of this country and Europe, patrons will find that most of the work of choosing has been done for them by this firm.

See the display of Christmas papeteries—fine writing papers, correspondence cards and envelopes to match, packed in handsome gift boxes—not ordinary boxed paper, but the fine qualities one secures here throughout the year, embracing the best numbers of all the leading manufacturers.

Conveniently shown are hundreds of beautiful calendars with quotations from favorite authors and poets, art calendars with beautiful drawings and pictures from leading artists—in fact every kind of a calendar one would wish for.

Forsyth & Davis' picture department has been prepared to meet every Christmas need, and offers an immense assortment of well-selected subjects—handsomely framed—including landscapes, interiors, animal studies, portraits, etc.

The firm's art brassware showing is very attractive. It embraces Candlesticks, Candelabra, Vases, Jardinieres, Fern Dishes, Fruit Baskets, Dinner Gongs, etc.

The gift problem may be easily solved in this store's leather goods department. Here are the latest designs in ladies' handbags, men's purses, billfolds, card cases, traveling cases, writing portfolios, address books, and scores of other acceptable articles.

Picture Framing to Order.

Bring diplomas, photographs, resolutions, etc., to Forsyth & Davis and have them framed by expert workmen at the minimum of cost.


### HIGH FALLS.

High Falls, Dec. 15.—Frank Rosa and wife visited High Falls on Monday.

Mrs. Maria Myers of Accord has been visiting friends in this village.

Preston Church and helper, Friz Adams, took a load of hay to Kingston one day this week.

The Misses Miriam and Elizabeth Krom were in Kingston on Friday.

Hymes visited town one day this week.

A large congregation was in attendance at the Reformed Church on Sunday morning to listen to the Rev. E. O Schwitters's farewell sermon. The subject of his talk was "The Last Invitation." It was an earnest, heartfelt appeal. His text was Rev. 22-17. Subject of the junior talk was "Blind Bartimeus." After the close of the services he gave an invitation for any one wishing to bid them good bye to pass he and Mrs. Schwitters in the aisle. Every one accepted the invitation to say good bye.

Mrs. Thomas Pedan and daughter, Agnes, were in town on Monday.

There was service in the Reformed Church Sunday evening; preaching by the Rev. Mr. Frost of Accord.

Arthur Church of Kingston, formerly of High Falls, is quite ill at his home.

Mrs. J. L. Snyder of Stone Ridge is visiting Mrs. Mower Barnhart.

Mrs. George Van Wagenen was in Kingston last week sewing for Mrs. Elbert MacFadden.

Mrs. Hoffman and two sons, Leslie and Mosely, were in Kingston Saturday.

Mr. Van Demark, Jr., was in town Friday.

Miss Alta Brodhead and Mrs. Demarest were in Kingston.

Tony Vaughan from Kerhonkson visited his mother on Sunday.

The committee for making arrangements for the Christmas entertainment in the Reformed Sunday school has been appointed.

Miss Ruth Barnhart was soliciting people to accept mite boxes on Saturday.

### ACCORD.

Accord, Dec. 15.—Sunday morning was the coldest day of the season. The thermometer registered 9 degrees above zero. The Rondout creek has frozen over in several places.

Mrs. H. J. Knickle spent Saturday and part of Sunday with Mrs Blanche Wilklow at Whitfield, who was injured when her team of horses ran away Friday afternoon.

A number from this place attended the farewell service of the Rev. Mr. Schwitters at High Falls Sunday.

Prayer meeting this week as follows: Tuesday evening at Benjamin Osterhoudt's; Wednesday evening at Edgar Van Vliet's; Thursday evening at the church.

H. W. Gazlay is visiting relatives in town.

The greatest continuous fall of snow in years occurred Monday. At least 12 inches had fallen by 3 p. m.

Mrs. C. S. Markle has been ill, but is improving.

### A Middletown Factory.

Through the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce of Middletown that city has secured a new industry which has purchased a factory and will manufacture conveyers and machinery. The concern is the Hilke-Stacker Company and will bring fifteen families to that city.

YOU HAVE 8 MORE SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE Christmas

**Store Open Evenings**

Our store will be open every evening from now until Christmas.

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**Your Christmas Club Checks**

Will be cashed at our store, save time and inconvenience. We're glad to accommodate you.

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**Furs! Furs!**

Christmas gifts of Fur never fitted better with the demands of fashion. Everybody wears furs for comfort or for style. Why not select a fur set or separate muff. We guarantee value received on every piece you buy. Let us show you and tell you more about them.

**Rugs for Christmas**

Owing to advancing prices you'll never get better values than we are now offering in large size rugs, suitable for any room in the house. Wilton Velvet, Axminster and Brussell Rugs with Medallion Center or all over patterns. You'll find many special values at $15, $20 and $25.

If you choose gloves you are sure to please. Nobody ever had to many pairs. If the size is not right, we'll change em later.

**FOR THE LADIES**

Washable cape at $1. A good winter weight glove and extra good value, at $1 pair.
Kid Gloves, all shades, at $1, $1.25 and $1.50.

**FOR THE CHILDREN**

Golf Gloves at ..... 25c
Chamoisette Gloves ..... 50c
Kid Gloves, silk lined ..... $1

**FOR THE MEN**

Every kind of gloves and mittens for work or pleasure dress, motoring or driving.
Work Gloves ..... 25c, 50c, 97c
Work Mittens ..... 25c, 50c, 97c
Dress Gloves ..... $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.97

**Maish Comforts**
For Christmas

Everybody admires a soft, downy quilt, filled with pure white cotton. That's the Maish kind. $1.97, $2.50, $2.97, $3.50, $3.97, $4.50 and $4.97.

**Good Blankets**
For Christmas

Cold weather won't seem half so bad when you are well supplied with good, warm blankets, like these at $3.50, $3.97, $4.50 up to $6.50 pair. Cotton Blankets with the soft, fleecy nap, that takes away the chill, 97c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.97 a pair.

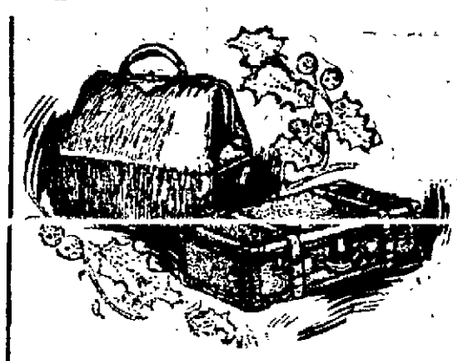
**Bath Robes**
For Men, Children & Women

Yes, we're just anxious to show them, they make such a fine Christmas present. One that will be used for years and be appreciated greatly. For men or women, $3.50, $3.97 and $4.50. Children's sizes, $1.97.

**Coats For Xmas**

Special lot of Ladies' Sample Coats in Astrakan, Zibeline and Plush. Extra good values; just in time for the Christmas trade.

$12.50 $15.00, $16.00
$18.00 and $20.00



All Leather Bags and Suit Cases, special values, $5.
Other good values in strong Fiber Cases at $3.50; Matting Bags and Cases at 97c.

**Slippers For Xmas**

Ladies' crocheted slippers in plain and pretty combination colors; great value

97c

Children's sizes, same quality, at 47c. Bath slippers at 25c.

Gifts for Young People

Gifts for Children

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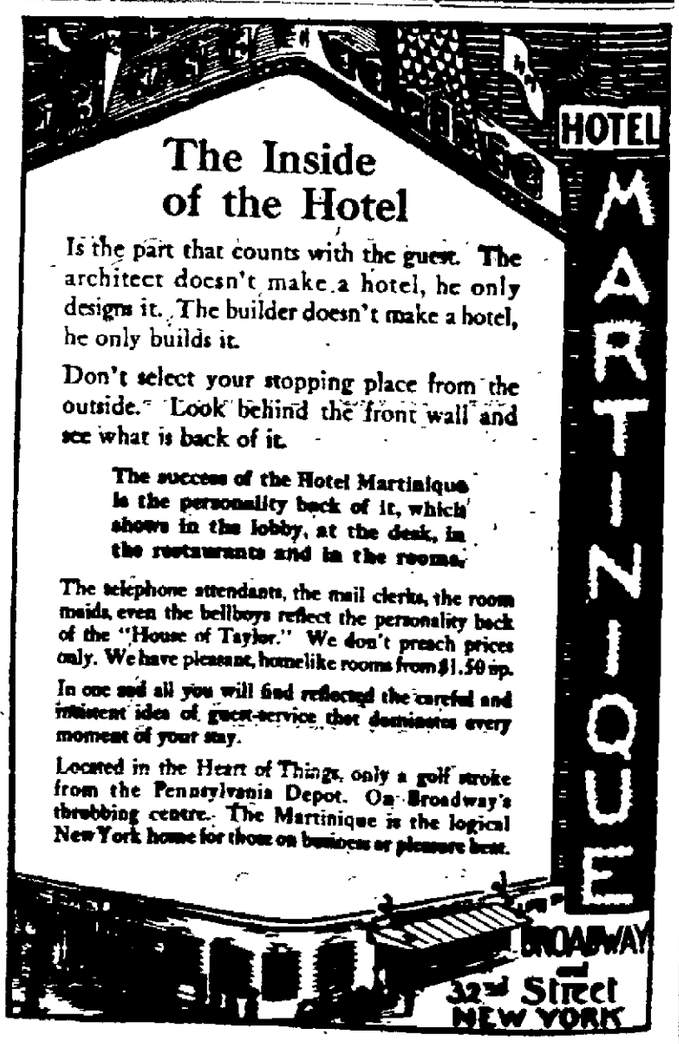
### Rumor Corrected.

"I understand, Cuddyhump, that your wife is convalescent?" said kindly Mrs. White. "No, ma'am. All'm glad to say she ain't. Stid o' dat, she's gittin' bettah ev'ry day.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### Latest Design in Windmills.

A windmill with five widely-separated vanes has been adopted for irrigation purposes in Italy's new possessions in Africa as the only kind that will withstand high winds and at the same time work in light breezes.


## The Inside of the Hotel

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Don't select your stopping place from the outside. Look behind the front wall and see what is back of it.

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BY F. LEIPZIGER


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Whenever the skies are gray,
A bottle for you of our health-brew,
Then, watch the gloom glide away!

There is no disgrace in getting fussy. Things WILL happen. The mistake is in STAYING fussy.

To drink to divert the mind shows, at least, symptoms of strength; to drink to "drown" our sorrows proves nothing but a weak backbone.

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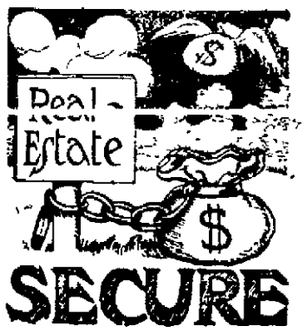


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**TIME TABLE**
**FERRYBOAT TRANSPORT**

In effect October 17, 1915.

Leaves Kingston.—6:30, 7:40, 9:00, 9:50, 10:30 and 11:25 a. m. 12:15, 12:50, 1:30, 2:40, 3:20, 4:00, 4:40, 5:35 and 6:20 p. m.

Leaves Rhinecliff.—7:15, 8.10, 9:20, 10:10 and 11:05 a. m. 12 m. 12:30, 1:05, 2:15, 3:00, 3:40, 4:25, 5:10, 6:05 and 6:45 p. m.


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# STREETS CHOKED WITH SNOW PILES

With nearly two feet of snow on the level the streets became choked Tuesday as soon as sidewalks and roofs were cleared. The weight of snow on roofs of business buildings and dwellings caused owners to begin the removal early. Business men cleared their roofs as soon as men could be put to work and as pedestrian travel was light in most cases it was not necessary to place anyone to warn passersby. In some cases the snow had drifted to less exposed portions of roofs and streets, with the result that the snow in places reached a depth of three feet.

Street Superintendent W Scott Van Keuren put additional men and teams at work early in the morning, and they began first the work of snow removal from the business streets, especially streets where the trolley lines run. The snow thrown from the tracks of the trolley company by the snow plows was piled high on either side of the tracks and to this was added the snow from roof and sidewalks. On Fair street between John and Main streets, the plows made ready for the street force reached a height of four to five feet. Fair street apparently having been blessed with the heaviest snow fall and biggest drifts.

## ELLENVILLE.

Ellenville, Dec 14.—The Rev. E E Count, a missionary from Bulgaria, who has been spending a furlough of six months at his native place, left for his field of labor on Monday, expecting to sail on the New Amsterdam on Tuesday, December 14. He goes by the way of Berlin, and hopes to reach his destination within a reasonable time. It is with very much regret that the people of Ellenville have said "good bye" even for a time, as during his short stay he has been active in the church work, and has endeared himself to our community very much. He leaves his interesting family here with us owing to the war conditions, existing in Europe, and the uncertainties of those conditions. His departure, is to them, a very sad one under the circumstances, but when duty calls, Dr Count feels that he must go, hoping for a safe return.

The memorial services for the late John R. Hunt, were held in the M E Church on Sunday last. A very fine sermon was delivered by the pastor, the Rev. W H Moser, who preached from the subect "A Perfect Man." The auditorium of the church was beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums, ferns, roses and carnations artistically arranged by Mrs W H Moser. The edifice was filled to overflowing with the friends of the deceased, who thus paid their last tribute of love and respect to one who had been both friend and benefactor. At the Sunday school session a resolution was adopted and ordered recorded on the records of the Sunday school, in memory of the man who had given so much toward the Sunday school work.

The Christmas exercises are well under way for the Christmas entertainment of the M. E Church and are under the supervision of Mr and Mrs Guy L Gould.

The basketball game of last Friday evening between the Catskill and Ellenville High Schools, resulted in a victory for Ellenville, the score being 37 to 15, in favor of the E H S Dancing followed the game, which was enjoyed by a large number of people.

The Christian Endeavor of the Reformed Church and the Epworth League of the M. E Church will hold a union young people's meeting at the Reformed Church on Sunday evening, December 18. Subject, "Christmas."

### Store Open Evenings.

Gregory & Company's store will be open evenings from now until Christmas to accommodate those who cannot shop conveniently during the day time.


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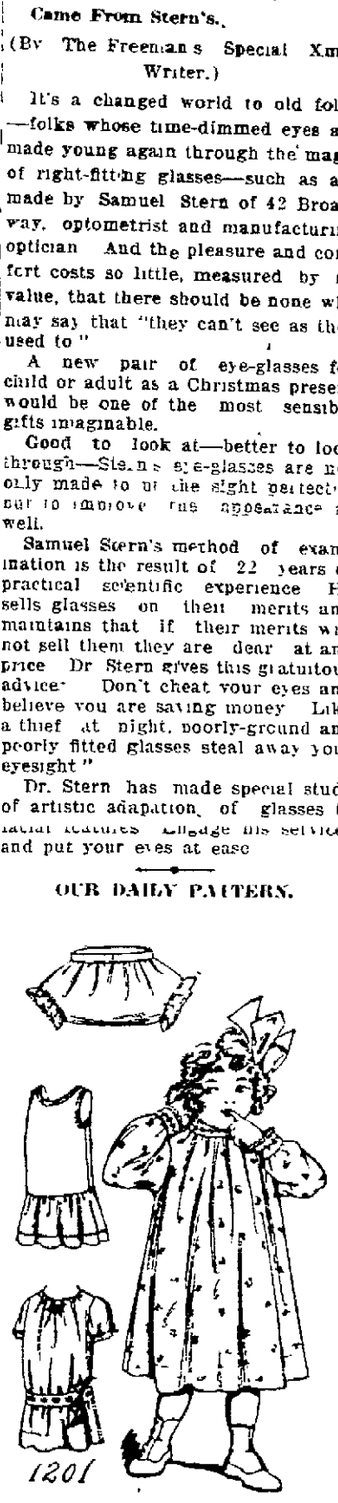


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This combination will readily appeal to the home dressmaker. The dress is in simple Bishop style, and may be finished in French waist stye, and with short sleeves and low neck. The petticoat is cut with a long waist, and is sure to prove a comfortable garment. The good features of the drawers will be at once apparent. Muslin, cambric nainsook or canton flannel are good for the petticoat and drawers, with edges, embroidery or feather stitching for a finish. The dress is lovely for lawn, batiste nainsook, cashmere, percale, gingham, challie or voile, also for flannellette and crepe. The pattern is cut in 4 sizes: 1, 2, 3 and 4 years. It requires 2¾ yards of 27 inch material for the dress, 2⅜ yards for the petticoat and ¾ yards for the drawers for a 3 year size.

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Interest will be paid on all sums from one dollar to three thousand dollars.

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Interest at the rate of 4% per annum was declared for six months ending June 30, 1915.

ULSTER COUNTY

# Savings Institution

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INCORPORATED 1851.

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For six months ending June 30, 1915, interest was credited July 1st, 1915, at 4 per cent, per annum.

Interest not drawn will be added to the principal and draw interest.

Money deposited on or before Jan 10 and remaining in the bank until July 1 1916, will be credited with six (6) months' interest.

Women and children under age have by law the control of their own saving bank accounts.

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|---|---|
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| Silk Waists | $3.00 to $12.00 |
| Umbrellas | $1.00 to $8.00 |
| Sweaters | $2.00 to $6.50 |
| Knitted Slippers | $1.00 |
| Wool Skating Sets | $1.00 to $5.00 |
| Leather Hand Bags | $1.00 to $12.00 |
| Fur Sets | $5.00 to $10.00 |
| Neckwear | 50c to $3.50 |
| Kid Gloves | $1.25 to $1.75 |
| Silk Hose | $1.00 to $2.50 |
| Handkerchiefs | 25c to $1.50 |

For the Men

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|---|---|
| Silk Shirts | $3.50 |
| Fine Shirts | $1.00 to $1.50 |
| Men's Neckwear | 50c to $1.00 |
| Silk Mufflers | $1.50 to $4.00 |
| Silk Hose | 50c to $1.50 |
| Men's Gloves | 50c to $1.50 |
| Handkerchiefs | 12½ to 50c |
| Umbrellas | $1.00 to $5.00 |

For the Girls

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| Girls' Skating Sets | $1.00 to $5.00 |
| Knitted Slippers | 50c |
| Sweaters | $2.00 to $5.00 |
| Combing Jackets | $3.00 to $6.00 |
| Umbrellas | $1.00 to $6.00 |
| Kid Gloves | $1.25 to $1.75 |
| Jewelry | 50c to $2.00 |
| Handkerchiefs | 12½c to 50c |

For the Boys

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| Cadet Hose | 25c |
| Boys' Umbrellas | 50c to $1.50 |
| Boys' Gloves | 50c to $1.00 |
| Boys' Neckwear | 25c |
| Outing Night Gowns | 50c |
| Boys' Handkerchief Box | 15c and 25c |

For the Home

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| Blankets | $1.00 to $12.00 |
| Comfortables | $2.50 to $12.00 |
| Table Linen | $1.00 to $2.00 |
| Linen Towels | 25c to $1.00 |
| Turkish Towels | 25c to $1.00 |
| Scarfs | 50c to $1.00 |
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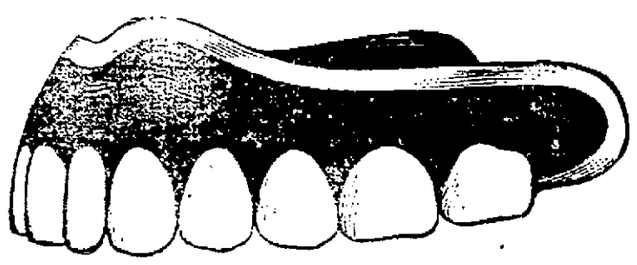

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# KRAFT SPEAKS UP FOR THE BACTERIA

**But Just the Same the Association He Represents Means to Kill Them in Milk—Reports Filed With Board of Health.**

"It is not a question of how many bacteria there are in milk, whether but 10,000 or 2,000,000; we live on bacteria and it is only dangerous in milk when it is infected" said John E Kraft, representing the Kingston Dairymen Creamery Association of the county, on Tuesday evening when he appeared before the board of health seeking to have that body pass a resolution to the effect that all milk sold or handled in Kingston shall be pasteurized. Owing to the fact that several of the members of the board were out of town there was not a quorum present and no official action could be taken but the matter was discussed informally. Joseph M. Fowler, president, and Dr. Mary Gage Day, secretary, of the Ulster County Tuberculosis Society, also appeared before the board in favor of having pasteurized milk as did Dr. Mark O'Meara, the recently elected president of the Ulster County Medical Society.

From Mr. Kraft's remarks the dairymen of the county who formed an organization last year are intending to incorporate under the title of the "Kingston Dairymen Creamery Association" and they have made arrangements with the Kingston Dairy & Ice Cream Company on Downs street to install the machinery necessary to pasteurize milk. This machinery will cost about $5,000. The dairymen in the association want the board of health to pass this resolution calling for the sale of pasteurized milk. Mr. Kraft said that he wanted it understood that this did not mean that the dairymen were going to raise the price of milk but that it would be sold at the same price as the present raw milk.

Mr. Fowler said that the society he represented were interested in the suppression of tuberculosis and if that dread disease could be prevented from spreading by pasteurizing milk the society was in favor of having it done.

Mr. Kraft's remarks about it not making any difference about the number of bacteria in milk as long as the bacteria was not infected was brought out by Commission McBride calling attention to the fact that it was only recently when over a million bacteria was found in a sample of milk sold by local dealers as Grade B milk.

The milk report this month was the best that has been received by the board and showed that the highest number of bacteria found in milk samples during the past month was 200,000 per cubic centimeter.

The reports of the officers of the board were received and filed.

**Health Officer.**

Health Officer Stelle reported the following communicable disease for the past month:

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| Chicken pox | 1 |
| Diphtheria | 2 |
| Mumps | 1 |
| Scarlet fever | 7 |
| Tuberculosis | 1 |
| Whooping cough | 7 |

**Vital Statistics.**

Report of Fred Sahloff, secretary of the board of health and registrar of vital statistics, for the month of November, 1915:

Births reported, 27.
Deaths reported, 37; (6 being non-resident.)
Resident death rate per M., 10.38.
Non-resident death rate per M., 2.30.
Corresponding month last year: Births reported, 43; deaths reported, 41.
Showing a decrease of 16 in births and a decrease of 4 in deaths.
Applications for employment certificates, 7.
Employment certificates issued, 7.
Applications for sewer connections, 8.
Sewer connection permits issued, 8.

**Causes of Death.**

Cholera-Infantum, 1.
Fracture base of brain, (accident) 1.
Gunshot wound, (accident), 1.
Suicide, 1.
Malnutrition, 1.
Acute thrombosis, 1.
Cerebral hemorrhage, 3.
Uremic convulsions, 1.
Premature birth, 1.
Acute endocarditis, 1.
Gastritis, 2.
Nephritis, 2.
Myocarditis, 1.
Diabetes, 1.
Typhoid fever, 1.
Pneumonia, 1.
Valvular disease of heart, 6.
Acute inanition, 1.
Carcinoma of stomach, 2.
Carcinoma of pancreas, 1.
Carcinoma of liver, 1.
Carcinoma of gall bladder, 1.
Arterio sclerosis, 2.
Pulmonary tuberculosis 1.
Diphtheria, 1.
Child birth, 1.

FRED SAHLOFF,
Secretary.

**Plumbing Inspector.**

Report of Frederick M. Dressel, plumbing inspector, for the month of November, 1915:

Rough inspections, 21.
Finished inspections, 29.
Water tests, 2.
Plans filed and approved, 8.
Plans returned, 0.
Closets substituted for yard vaults, 5.
Sewer permits issued, 8.
Sewer connections supervised, 8.
Cesspools built, 1.
Cesspools discontinued, 2.

**Sanitary Inspector.**

Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 1, 1915.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Board of Health of the City of Kingston, N. Y.

I have the honor to submit to you my report for the month of November:

Quarantines placed:

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| Scarlet fever | 6 |
| Diphtheria | 2 |
| Whooping Cough | 2 |
| Fumigations | 4 |
| Renovations following tuberculosis | 1 |
| Number of farms scored | 2 |
| Number of complaints investigated | 3 |
| Number of sanitary inspections made | 125 |

The Hoffman street matter referred at last meeting was taken up. Property in question is in three lots each being owned separately. These lots have been used rather promiscuously as a dumping ground for old tin, but nothing was found that would be deemed unsanitary at this season. Two of the owners have placed signs on their property forbidding dumping.

Under the ruling of the board of health at the last meeting an application was received requesting permission to accept one child as boarder. Application is not reported favorably.

Milk samples have been taken from out of town dealers and complete list is appended.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed.)
HAROLD CLARKE, D. V. M.,
Sanitary Inspector.

**Slaughter Houses.**

Henry J. Marquardt, 498 Delaware avenue.
Ed. Weber, 75 Broadway.
Fred C. Lang & Co., 567 Abeel street.
Henry Bloss, 93 Abeel street.
Jacob Forst, 114 Abeel street.
Louis Amdur, 10 Meadow street.
Simon Siller, 72 Broadway.

**Butcher Shops.**

| | Score |
|---|---|
| L. Amdur, 10 Meadow street | 77 |
| H. Bloss, 93 Abeel street | 80 |
| Charles A. Davis, 636 Broadway | 88 |
| Charles Ewel, 59 Cedar street | 86 |
| D. Farber, 76 Chambers street | 89 |
| M. Farber, East Union street | 75 |
| Carl Flicker, 707 Broadway | 82 |
| J. G. Goedtel, 595 Broadway | 86 |
| Frank Hafer, 98 Murray street | 80 |
| W. H. Hapeman, 45 North Front street | 89 |
| E. Hoyt Green Co., 39 North Front street | 90 |
| Fred C. Lang & Co., 567 Abeel street | 85 |
| John Lang, 28 Ravine street | 83 |
| J. Lay, 125 Hasbrouk avenue | 90 |
| G. Leverich 233 East Strand | 82 |
| H. J. Marquadt, 498 Delaware avenue | 83 |
| A. B. Merritt, 492 Washington avenue | 79 |
| F. Merritt, 14 St. James street | 88 |
| Philip Lasher, 107 Cedar street | 80 |
| J. Myers, 115 Abeel street | 80 |
| S. Messinger, 458 Broadway | 88 |
| Mohican Co., Wall street | 89 |
| George Planthaber, 30 East Strand | 86 |
| A. D. Rose, Franklin street | 89 |
| Fred Scholl, 368 Broadway | 82 |
| V. Shader, 44 East Strand | 88 |
| J. Siller, 17 Chambers street | 65 |
| Ed. Weber, 50 Broadway | 90 |
| M. Winn, 210 Ten Broeck avenue | 81 |
| L. Zeeb, 202 Foxhall avenue | 87 |

**Fish Markets.**

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|---|---|
| H. W. Barton, 528 Broadway | 82 |
| H. E. Colburn, 380 Broadway N. | 84 |
| W. H. Douglas, Abeel street | 84 |
| P. Fitzgerald, 597 Broadway | 84 |
| J. Fatum, 671 Broadway | 85 |
| J. Ritter, West Strand | 87 |
| Mrs. Schnitzler, Main street | 90 |
| William Van Bramer, East Strand | 90 |
| A. Whitbeck, 76 Crown street | 83 |

**Bakery Shops.**

Isaac Delamater, 88 Broadway—score 84.
Charles B. Everett, 255 Wall St.—score 89; delivery score 89.
Jacob Hauck, 62 Broadway—score 80; delivery score 80.
A. Maxon, 762 Broadway—score 82; delivery score 80.
C. E. Post, 680 Broadway—score 89; delivery score 86.
Frank Reher, 101 Broadway—score 70; delivery score 65.
Elizabeth Salzmann, 109 Abeel St. score 85; delivery score 85.
Leonard Salzmann, 11 Sycamore St.—88; delivery score 83.
Schristian Schwenk, 201 Foxhall Ave.—score 80; delivery score 83.
Charles Spalt, 514 Delaware Ave.—score 88; delivery score 78.
Ezra Spencer, 404 Washington Ave.—score 88; delivery score 86.
Gustav Teichler, 474 Broadway—score 95; delivery score 88.
D. Weber, 145 Hasbrouck Ave.—score 85; delivery score 80.
T. E. Hofbauer, 114 Clinton Ave.—score 83; delivery score 78.
George Goldman, 170 Hasbrouck Ave.—score 75; delivery score 70.

**Milk Depots and Dairies.**

| Dealer | Fat Percentage | Specific Gravity | Total Solids Percent | Thousands of Bacteria per Cubic Centimeter |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Clow— | 3.5 | 10 295 | 11.72 | 50 |
| DeForest— | 3.9 | 10 301 | 12.35 | 165 |
| Adin— | 3.3 | 10 305 | 11.5 | 110 |
| Hallenbeck— | 3.7 | 10 301 | 12.2 | 150 |
| Grant— | 3.4 | 10 301 | 10.95 | 14 |
| Liebig— | 3.7 | 10 305 | 12.3 | 50 |
| Herdman— | 3.8 | 10 305 | 12.31 | 100 |
| Kingston Dairy— | 3.6 | 10 305 | 12.1 | 90 |
| Moorehouse— | 4.4 | 10 235 | 11.3 | 100 |
| Cassidy— | 3.8 | 10 281 | 11.82 | 200 |
| Finger— | 3.6 | 10 295 | 11.85 | 50 |
| Radatz— | 5. | 10 285 | 11.25 | 100 |
| Glenhurst— | 3.8 | 10 293 | 12. | 100 |
| Vredenburg— | 3.8 | 10 267 | 11.32 | 50 |
| Parish— | 4.2 | 10 284 | 12.3 | 10 |
| Elmendorf— | 3.4 | 10 295 | 11.6 | 100 |
| Barton— | 3. | 10 247 | 9.9 | 200 |
| Babcock— | 4. | 10 334 | 12.2 | 100 |
| Beatty— | 4.2 | 10 303 | 12.7 | 45 |
| Walton— | 4. | 10 285 | 12.8 | 55 |
| Van Etten, Philip— | 4. | 10 29 | 12.2 | 100 |
| Michael— | 4. | 10 285 | 12.9 | 200 |

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| 50c Combination Sets<br>Suspenders and Garters<br>Armbands and Garters<br>Silk Handkerchiefs and Tie<br>Silk Socks and Tie | 39c-50c Shirley President Suspenders<br>Light Colors---Fancy Boxes | 50c Silk Ties<br>A Large Assortment of Fancy and Plain Ties in Holiday Boxes |
| 50c Pure Silk Socks<br>Fancy and Plain<br>In red, blue, black white, purple, palm beach, tan | 50c Leather Collar Bags<br>In Black ank Tan<br>Sateen Lined | 50c Handkerchiefs<br>Plain White and Fancy Silk<br>Large Sizes |
| 50c Boys' Caps<br>Hockey or Aviation<br>Knitted or Angora<br>In Blue, White, Red, Grey and Maroon | $1 Combination Sets<br>Belt and Garters<br>Tie, Handkerchiefs, Socks<br>All Colors---Fancy Boxes | 50c Boys' Fine Soft Shirts<br>With Separate Collars |
| $1 Knitted Silk Scarfs<br>Full Length<br>In gray, black and white | $1 Men's Gloves<br>Kayser Silk<br>Tan Kid, Gray and Brown Mocha, Lined or Unlined | $1 Leather Goods<br>Traveling Kit<br>Collar Bags<br>Military Brushes |
| 98c Emperor Dress Shirts<br>Silk Stripes<br>Soft and stiff cuffs | $1.48 Men's Slippers<br>All Sizes<br>Tan, with Patent Leather Trimmings | 98c Indian Suit<br>$1.48 Boy Scout and Cowboy Suits<br>Sizes 4 to 14 |
| $1.50<br>A Big Line of<br>Umbrellas | $1.50 Arrow Shirts<br>Truefit<br>Newest Shades and Patterns | $2.85 Boys' Slip-On and Hat<br>Good Serviceable Coat; Tan<br>In Holiday Box |
| $3.85 Men's Sweaters<br>All Wool<br>With or Without Collar<br>Blue, Maroon, Gray, Dark Oxford. | $3.85 Seal Skin Gloves<br>Good Quality Seal With Large Gauntlet<br>Mocha Squirrel Lined, Tan, Large Size | $3.98 Men's Genuine Seal Caps<br>Extra Good Quality<br>Latest Shapes |
| $4.85 Men's House Coats and Bath Robes<br>A large assortment of sizes<br>Styles, Shades and Patterns | $3.85, $4.85, $6.85 Men and Boy's Mackinaws<br>Many Styles, Variety of Patterns | $4.85 Genuine Cowhide Bags<br>Black and Tan; Silk or Leather Lined<br>Patent Catches |

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Assistant treasurer of the United States is credited with saying that the average dollar bill lasts about three weeks, but we all know it isn't true.—New York Evening Telegram.

**The growing body calls for H-O**

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# FIXING PAY OF COUNTY OFFICIALS

Changes in two committee reports were proposed in resolutions introduced at Tuesday evening's session of the board of supervisors after unanimous consent had been given to withdraw the reports submitted on Monday evening.

Supervisor Van Aken asked unanimous consent to withdraw the resolution introduced Monday to adopt the report of the committee on salaries and employment of county officers, which was granted.

Supervisor Van Aken introduced a resolution to adopt the report and determine the salaries as recommended in the report except the salary of the county superintendent of highways, which salary shall be $3,000 and in lieu of any claims for services rendered and expenses; recommending further that $39,289.26 be raised on the county for salaries, and the sum of $2,200 on the county outside the city for salaries of county superintendent of the poor and county sealer. The resolution went over under the rule.

At the request of Supervisor Van Aken, unanimous consent was given to withdraw the resolution introduced Monday night to adopt the report of the committee on county treasurer and sealer, and a resolution was introduced by Supervisor Van Aken to adopt the report of the committee except as to the recommendation for raising $10,457.41 on the county to make out a debit balance in the court and jury fund, the amount to be raised for the court and jury fund being fixed at $25,000, and the other items recommended by the committee remaining as stated in the report. The resolution went over under the rule.

**Resolution for Tuberculosis Hospital.**

Supervisor Kolts introduced a resolution empowering the chairman and clerk, pursuant to the provisions of the county law, to lease the property of the Ulster County Committee on Tuberculosis for one year at an annual rental of $500, the lease to provide that the committee shall provide funds for keeping the buildings in repair; that before noon on the first day of each month the committee shall certify to the county auditors a statement of the salaries and other charges, and the county auditors shall audit such claims to an amount not exceeding $7,500; all expenses in excess of $7,500 shall be satisfied by the committee on tuberculosis from private subscriptions or otherwise and the county shall not be responsible for an amount exceeding $7,500; that Joseph M. Fowler be designated as a member of the Board of Managers of the Ulster County Tuberculosis Hospital for a term of five years to succeed himself, and that $8,000 be raised on the county to carry out the provisions of this resolution. The resolution went over under the rule.

**Appropriation for Farm Bureau.**

Supervisor Schantz introduced a resolution to raise $1,200 on the Ulster County Farm Bureau to defray the expenses of that bureau and for the free farm expert. Over under the rule.

**Appropriation for County Pathologist.**

Supervisor Kolts introduced a resolution to employ Dr. Raymond Sanderson as county bacteriologist for one year at compensation of $1,800 per annum, payable monthly, and that he be allowed all fees received by the laboratory out of which he shall pay all running expenses except expenses for heat, light and permanent equipment. The county bacteriologist is also directed to file an inventory with the clerk and to furnish a bond in the sum of $1,000 with two sureties. The table of fees is re-established for one year, and all examinations for overseers of the poor, charitable institutions, etc., as provided last year, are to be made. The resolution was adopted.

**Increase Recommended For Under Sheriff.**

Supervisor Vanderlyn introduced a resolution reciting the salaries paid to the deputies in the county service, the salary of the deputy county treasurer being $1,900; deputy county clerk, $1,800; clerk of the surrogate court, $1,500 and fees; under sheriff, $1,200; the duties of the under sheriff being continuous, he being on duty call at all hours of the day and night and on all days, Sundays and holidays included and his duties including hazardous risks in addition to clerical work; the sense of the board therefore being that his salary should be increased from $1,200 to $1,600, and requesting the senator and assemblyman from this district to procure the necessary legislation. The resolution was adopted.

**New Resolutions.**

Supervisor Brink introduced a resolution to raise $3,657.50 on the town of Ulster to pay Eddyville bridge bond and interest. Over under the rule.

Resolutions to raise the following amounts of the towns specified to supply deficiency caused by unpaid and rejected taxes were introduced and went over under the rule as follows:

By Supervisor DeWitt, town of Hurley, $73.92.

By Supervisor Snyder, town of Marbletown, $1.49.

By Supervisor Woolsey, town of Marlborough, $12.89.

By Supervisor McElhone, town of Shawangunk, $9.11.

By Supervisor Shook, town of Wawarsing, $350.

By Supervisor Fratsher, town of Saugerties, $77.20.

By Supervisor Schwarzwaelder, town of Shandaken, $300.

**Resolutions Called Up.**

The following resolutions heretofore introduced were called up and adopted:

By Supervisor McElhone, that $52.80 be raised on the county to pay the county's proportion of the cost of repairing county-line bridges in Shawangunk.

By Supervisor Vanderlyn, to adopt the report of the committee on highway accounts.

By Supervisor Simpkins, to adopt the report of the committee on town and county accounts and raise $27,780.52 on the county to pay the county's proportion of the cost of constructing state and county highways, and the amounts specified in the report on the variousy towns for expenses in lunacy.

By Supervisor DuBois, that $2,329.57 be raised on the town of Rosendale to pay the town's proportion of the cost of constructing road No. 419.

By Supervisor Vanderlyn, that $2,389.77 be raised on the town of New Paltz to pay the town's proportion of the cost of constructing road No. 572.

By Supervisor D. E. Schoonmaker, that $1,537.50 be raised on the town of Rochester to pay certificate and interest issued for bridge.

By Supervisor Schantz, that $7,252.28 be raised on the town of Lloyd to pay the town's proportion of the cost of constructing road No. 554.

On motion of Supervisor Vanderlyn, the board adjourned until 7:30 o'clock this evening.


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### ALLABEN.

Allaben, Dec. 15.—Connell Byrnes has sold his farm to C. H. Carter of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Howard Townsend entertained at dinner last Wednesday Mrs. Charles Clearwater, Mrs. Frank Benjamin, Mrs. Edward Dutcher and daughter, Helen and Mrs. Jennie Griffin, all of Allaben.

The G. F. Van Keuren pinochle club was entertained by Mrs. Charles Clearwater last week. All had a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beekman of Shandaken attended the Butterfly Ball in Kingston last week Thursday.

Willard Gulnick, patrolman of the state road, received third prize of $30 for best road for Allaben and Shandaken.

Henry Hannel is receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter at his home.

George H. Gulnick, proprietor of the Allaben Hotel, is ill, but is recovering at this writing.

H. B. Benson, who has been very ill, is able to be out again, and visited Phoenicia last Thursday.

Mrs. William Brackman of Olivera is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Gulnick this week.

Augusta Winne of Kingston was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Winne last Sunday.

Miss Mabel Van Keuren of Kingston is spending a few days with her parents in this place.

Beekman & Garrity of Shandaken have a fine lot of Christmas goods at their store. Patronize your home town.

Mrs. Homer Duley of Shandaken attended the funeral of her uncle, William Benson, in Kingston on Saturday.

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### COUNTY COURT NOTICE

The People of the State of New York to the Sheriff of the County of Ulster Greeting —You are hereby commanded to summon the several persons who shall have been drawn in your county to serve as jurors at a County Court to be held in and for your county at the Court House in the City of Kingston in said county on Monday the 10th day of January 1916 to appear thereat to bring before the said court all prisoners then being in the jail of your county together with all processes and proceedings in any way concerning them in your hands and make proclamation in manner prescribed by law notifying all persons bound to appear at the said court by recognizance or otherwise to appear thereat and requiring all Justices of the Peace Coroners and other officers who have taken recognizances for the appearance of any person at such court or who have taken any inquisition or the examination of any prisoner or witness to return such recognizances inquisitions and examinations to the said court at the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting

Witness Hon James Dolling Esquire County Judge of Ulster County at the Court House in Kingston this 11th day of December 1915

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District Attorney

PROCLAMATION — State of New York Ulster County ss The undersigned Sheriff of said County in conformity to a precept in this behalf directed and delivered by this his proclamation requires all persons bound to appear at the County Court to be held in and for the said County of Ulster at Kingston in said county on Monday the 10th day of January 1916 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day by recognizance or otherwise to appear thereat And he requires all Justices of the Peace Coroners and other officers who have taken any recognizance for the appearance of any person at said court or who have taken any inquisition or the examination of any person or witness to return such recognizances inquisitions and examinations to the said court at the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting signed at the sheriffs office in said county December 11th 1915

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Sheriff of Ulster County

### Wit Always Welcome

Wit makes its own welcome and levels all distinction No dignity no learning no force of character can make any stand against good wit It is like ice on which no beauty of form, no majesty of carriage can plead any immunity, they must walk gingerly, according to the laws of ice or down they must go dignity and all —Emerson

# DR. BIGGS URGES PASTEURIZATION

### State Health Commissioner Writes Mayor Canfield, Showing How Disease Comes From Use of Dirty Milk.

Mayor Canfield has received a communication from Commissioner Biggs of the state department of health in regard to the pasteurization of the entire milk supply of the city In the letter the importance of the milk supply and its possibilities of spreading disease are shown Commissioner Biggs recommends the pasteurization of the entire milk supply with the exception of the certified milk The letter is as follows

Hon Palmer Canfield Jr
Mayor
Kingston N Y

My Dear Mayor Canfield

I wish to draw your special attention to the increasing importance from the public health viewpoint of pasteurization of the entire milk supply of our municipality After most careful investigations covering a period of ten years the New York City Board of Health five years ago became convinced that no system of inspection could insure a safe milk supply and determined by resolution that the entire milk supply of New York city should be pasteurized excepting only milk of the certified grade This action became effected on January 1 1914

The Public Health Council of the State Department of Health at its meeting in July 1914 enacted the third chapter of the Sanitary Code consisting of a series of resolutions providing for the grading and the control of the sale of milk in all municipalities of the state These regulations were intended to furnish a cleaner milk supply and to furnish the consumer full scientific knowledge of the quality of the milk which he was purchasing while at the same time an incentive was provided to the dealer and producer to supply better milk for which a higher price could be obtained Since these regulations went into effect the occurrence of a large number of milkborn epidemics in the state has emphasized more strongly the necessity of universal pasteurization of all milk which is not of the certified grade and which is to be used for drinking or without previous cooking Within this period the following epidemics have been definitely traced to milk

Septic sore throat Rockville Center 232 cases 1 death

Septic sore throat East Hampton 46 cases

Septic sore throat West Winfield 100 150 cases

Diphtheria Suffern 2 cases

Diphtheria Rumapo 17 cases

Diphtheria Hillburn 19 cases

Scarlet fever Albany 117 cases 1 death

Scarlet fever and septic sore throat, Dutchess county 421 cases, 22 deaths

(Not including some cases of septic sore throat unreported)

The authorities of Mt Vernon and New Rochelle have already enacted regulations requiring the pasteurization of all milk sold in these municipalities Recent investigation have shown that nearly 75 per cent of the milk supply of Buffalo is now pasteurized as compared with less than ten per cent a year ago The Commissioner of Health of Rochester Dr Goler has recently signified his intention of urging such action upon the authorities of Rochester

I have recently had occasion to call this matter to the attention of the health officer of your city and am now writing you with the hope that you will agree with us in the importance of this measure and will act to cooperate in bringing about such action in your city I am firmly convinced that no single measure involving so small an expenditure of money contributes so largely to the improvement in the health condition of a district as this

Very sincerely yours
HERMANN M BIGGS
Commissioner of Health

### ROSENDALE

Rosendale Dec 15 —The bazar and supper that was to be held on Tuesday evening in All Saints parish house has been postponed until Thursday December 16 owing to the bad condition of the roads It is hoped that every one who can will be able to attend on Thursday evening Supper from 5 30 until all are served for the sum of 25 cents also a number of fancy articles and useful articles will be on sale suitable for Christmas gifts Don't forget the date —December 16

Bert and Clarence Carney left for Cornwall on Friday last where they expect to spend the winter with their uncle

Dr and Mrs C V Hasbrouck attended the Butterfly Ball in Kingston on Thursday evening

Mrs Osterhoudt of Krumpleburgh has been visiting her son Dory and family the past week

The Missionary society held its monthly meeting on Wednesday evening last at the home of Mrs Aaron DuBois in Lawrenceville Although the evening was dark and stormy there was a goodly number present

The Rev Theodore A Beekman went to New York on Friday

Mr Nelson who conducted a grocery here the past summer has moved in the rooms recently vacated by Matthew McLaughlin

Veron Coutant and wife left for their new home in New Jersey on Saturday

Isaac Carman was operated upon for cancer at Dr Sahlers on Friday

Michael Hanlon of New York city visited friends here the past week

Mr and Mrs Richard O Neil are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a baby girl at their home on Main street on Saturday morning

The children who attend school in Kingston and New Paltz were obliged to remain at home on Tuesday as the trains were unable to get through

Otto Houst moved to Kingston on Monday where he expects to reside this winter

Mrs Depuy Davis spent the week end out of town.

Mr and Mrs George Mattman, Miss Helen White and Annie McGinn visited Kingston on Saturday

Otto Houst's father and brother, who have been visiting him, returned to Yonkers on Monday

Charles Crawford who has been living in the J S Hasenburgh flat, will occupy the flat of Mrs Rose Hayden after January 1

Miss Henrietta Lake of Bridgeport, Connecticut was a guest of the Misses Mildred and Agnes Christiana the past week

Mrs Cornelia Bowen has gone to Beacon City to visit her son, Jesse Bowen, and family

The Rev Father Egan the new rector at St Peter's Church, is well liked by his parishioners

James Mullins and family motored to Kingston on Saturday

William Cannon is at his old post once again carrying the mail to the station His many friends are glad to see him back

Joseph McGinn has been on a trip to New York city The grocery business has been conducted by Joseph, Jr

Isadore Paradise who was taken ill on Friday evening has so far recovered as to be able to attend to business

Archdeacon Potts who gave an address in All Saints Church on Friday evening was entertained at Dr C V Hasbrouck's

Mrs S Isa Roosa entertained a number of her friends at tea on Friday last

Mrs John Ollry and Mrs Keiser spent Monday in Kingston, shopping

Richard J O'Neil has purchased the property of the late Christopher Wood on James street and will move his family there in the near future

### In City Court

Several cases were disposed of in city court this morning by Judge Bimmer In the case of Edward J Leahy against Frank Blackwell to recover for goods sold a judgment of $38 17 with interest and costs was awarded the plaintiff who was represented by Henry Klein There was no appearance on the part of the defendant

In the action brought by Benjamin P Hamilton against Abram V DeGraff for services was announced as settled Judge N Frank O'Reilly represented the plaintiff

The action brought by John R Gillette against Thomas P Linden was withdrawn Henry Klein represented the plaintiff

Another suit that was withdrawn was that brought by George Whipple against Jonah Marshal an action for work labor and services E A McKiernan represented the plaintiff and Judge N Frank O'Reilly the defendant

### Parks Tells His Story

This morning Charles M Parks who was arrested on a charge of non-support preferred against him by his wife was given a chance to tell his side of the story when he was arraigned before Recorder Lang His wife failed to appear to press the charge and Edward A McKiernan who appeared for Parks moved for a dismissal of the complaint which was granted by the recorder. Parks said in reply to questions that the reason he would not live with his wife was because she had not been faithful to her marriage vows He claimed that he had left her for about two years and when he returned found that she had had a baby of which he was not the father He said that he did not know what his wife did with the child He also said that the three children whom his wife claimed he had failed to support he had provided with a home with relatives in Newburgh but that his wife without his knowledge had gone there and taken the children back home with her

### KERHONKSON

Kerhonkson Dec 15 —Mr and Mrs I G Heidrich have returned home after spending a few days with friends out of town

Mrs S Gray has been spending a few days with her daughter Mrs G Mertine

Miss Myrtle Osterhoudt is employed at Kingston

Mrs Jacob Fluckiger and Miss Ida Van Wagener of Napanoch and Mr and Mrs Maynard DeWitt were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr and Mrs Alonzo Krom on Sunday

Mr and Mrs John Geary entertained friends from out of town Sunday

### Basketball This Evening

The fast East Kingston Five will clash with the crack Mystic Five of this city at Washington Hall this evening The game promises to be a whirlwind affair as both teams are composed of the fastest amateurs in their respective districts The lineup of the Mysties will be as follows Derrenbacher and Fox forwards, Brown center, and Fox and Wolff guards with L Wolff as sub and manager Dancing will follow the game the music being furnished by McLean's orchestra

### To Be Taken Literally.

The curtain had dropped on the first act of the amateur play Ladies and gentlemen, said the youthful stage manager stepping to the front of the stage, you will observe that the program says that there is an interval of two years between the first and second acts This will be fully carried out The leading lady has just swallowed the powder puff under the impression that it was a marshmallow, and I think it will be about that time before she will be able to go on"

### Buddhism.

An interpreter of Buddhism tells of the eightfold path by which that teacher directed to Nirvana the absence of craving The points are as follows Right comprehension, right resolution right speech, right way of earning a livelihood, right efforts, right thoughts, right state of a peaceful mind

### YUAN SHI KAI ACCEPTS CHINESE THRONE.

Yuan Shi Kai.

Pekin Dec 14 —Yuan Shi Kai, president of the Chinese republic has accepted the offer of the council of state, sitting as a parliament of the throne of China

The throne was twice offered to Yuan before he accepted and then he consented only upon the provision that he would remain as president until a convenient time for the convention.

### Home the Important Point

Ruskin says The true history of a nation is not in its wars but in its home and household the hope of the world lies with the children

### Optimistic.

Sniper—"I've knocked the spike orf of is bloomin' elmet—'e's took the top orf o my bloomin' ear—and its my shot next! '—London Opinion


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# STEAMERS FAST IN RIVER ICE

Cornell Towing Season to Close—Last Tow For New York Made Up—Central Hudson Co. Lays up the Odell.

The ice in the Hudson river is getting so heavy that the Cornell Steamboat Company has decided to close the towing season and the last tow to leave Rondout was made up today and will leave for New York city either tonight or early Thursday. The tow which will be a large one will be in charge of several tugs. The upper Hudson is practically closed to navigation and the last tow of the season out of Albany left on Saturday.

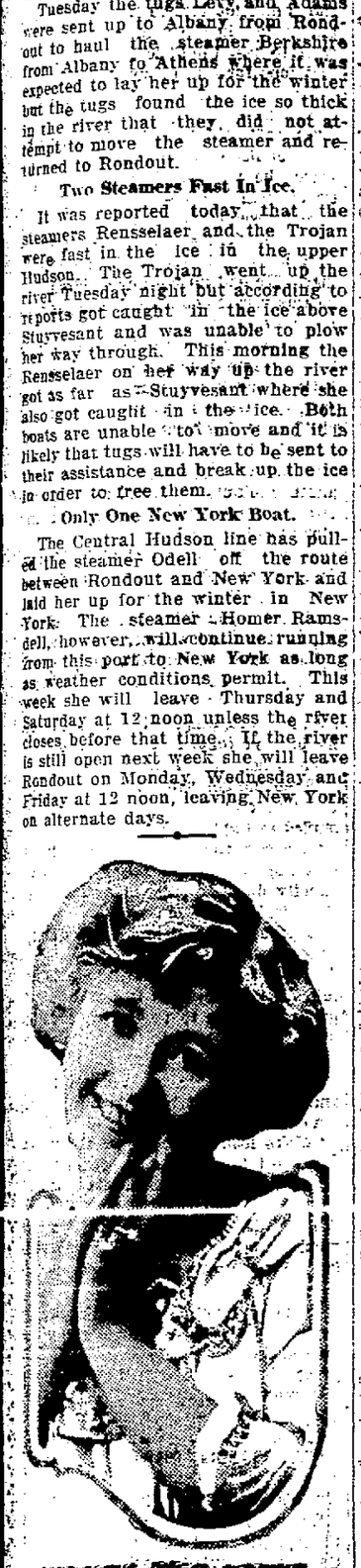
Tuesday the tugs Levy and Adams were sent up to Albany from Rondout to haul the steamer Berkshire from Albany to Athens where it was expected to lay her up for the winter but the tugs found the ice so thick in the river that they did not attempt to move the steamer and returned to Rondout.

**Two Steamers Fast In Ice.**

It was reported today that the steamers Rensselaer and the Trojan were fast in the ice in the upper Hudson. The Trojan went up the river Tuesday night but according to reports got caught in the ice above Stuyvesant and was unable to plow her way through. This morning the Rensselaer on her way up the river got as far as Stuyvesant where she also got caught in the ice. Both boats are unable to move and it is likely that tugs will have to be sent to their assistance and break up the ice in order to free them.

**Only One New York Boat.**

The Central Hudson line has pulled the steamer Odell off the route between Rondout and New York and laid her up for the winter in New York. The steamer Homer Ramsdell, however, will continue running from this port to New York as long as weather conditions permit. This week she will leave Thursday and Saturday at 12 noon unless the river closes before that time. If the river is still open next week she will leave Rondout on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12 noon, leaving New York on alternate days.



MRS. GUSSIE McGEE MARTIN

CHRISTMAS AT HOME FOR EX-ARMY OFFICER AFTER PRISON TERM FOR MURDER.

Mrs. "Gussie" McGee Martine.

New York, Dec. 14.—Edward Hugh Martin, ex-army officer, who has just been paroled from the Oregon State Prison, where he served ten years of a life term on a charge of murdering Nathan Wolff, a pawn broker, will eat his Christmas dinner in New York with his wife, formerly "Gussie McGee," at one time keeper of pool rooms for women in this city.

Martin, who was a drug fiend when he entered the prison, is now cured and he and his wife, who met him upon his release from the penal institution, declare that they will begin life anew.

Martin married his wife in 1901, but they soon separated because of his drug habits, she said.

There was always a doubt that Martin killed Wolff. He has always declared his innocence and his friends believed in him.

Martin is a graduate of West Point and of Fordham College. He was a lieutenant in the army and saved the lives of three comrades at the battle of Santiago, for which he received two honor medals.

He was dismissed from the army in 1900 on the charge that he had made false financial statements at Fort Hancock.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They show the goods and talk about them at the time the newspaper advertising is running.

They add their push to the pull of the newspaper advertising.

Results progress on an automatic scale.

The dealer sells more goods, the manufacturer pushes harder for business and does more advertising.


## STING OF THE AGY.

**A Madagascar Plant That Can Drive Men Mad With Pain.**

Among the many peculiar and disconcerting plants and creatures that abound in Madagascar, probably none is more surprising and disconcerting than the agy tree, so called, which is not a tree, but a climbing plant. The following incident, quoted by Mr. James Sibree, F. R. G. S., in "A Naturalist In Madagascar," illustrates the painful result of contact with the agy. The story is told by a Mr. Montgomery.

Walking under some trees and pushing aside the reeds and grass, I was startled by a sudden tingling and pricking sensation over the backs of my hands and fingers. I stopped in sudden surprise, for the pain was severe, and I had touched nothing except the grass. But in another minute the pain increased, the tingling, burning sensation seemed to be extending rapidly up my wrists, and I could see nothing to cause it. As I lowered my head to look scalding pain shot into my ears and neck and grew worse every instant. Dazed and bewildered, I stood a few seconds in helplessness, for I could neither see nor guess at the cause of the terrible distress. Then I got back to my company with agony written plain enough on every line of my face.

The men started up when they saw me, crying, "You have been stung by the agy!" Some of them led me to a seat, others rushed for water from the river, and two or three brought sand heaped up in their hands. Then they chafed me with the sand and water to take out the stinging hairs, which they knew caused the mischief. As they rubbed me I felt the pain abate, and after they had chafed me for about a quarter of an hour I was comparatively free from pain. While the men were rubbing me I was able to discern to some extent the cause of my distress. Countless hairs, like tiny arrows, almost transparent, pointed at either end and from a third to a fourth of an inch long had dropped on me in an invisible shower from the agy tree as I stood under it. Before I came away that afternoon, very cautiously I ventured to examine the tree at a little distance and found that the tiny hairs grew outside a thickish pod or shell not quite so large as a small banana. The pods were fully ripe (unluckily for me) just at that time, and the light wind was scattering their coverings.

## STORY OF A MEAN MAN.

**The Millionaire Who Refused a Loan to Alexander Dumas.**

"The meanest man I ever knew," said Mark Twain to a fellow traveler he met on shipboard, "lived in Hannibal. He sold his son-in-law the half share of a cow and then refused to give him any milk because he had only sold him the front half."

Well, that story may be apocryphal, although there are lots of men who rise to its standard of meanness, but the following is true: When Alexander Dumas the elder was short of cash he wrote a charming little note to a millionaire who was proclaimed in every paper to be a model of generosity. Dumas ended his letter with some verses, half jocular, half serious. In fact, the letter was a literary gem.

This financier, who respected literary men for their talents, but had little trust in their power or will to pay their debts, refused Dumas' request. The same evening he entertained some men of letters at his mansion, and the conversation turned on the value of autographs.

"Have such trifles a commercial value?" asked the millionaire.

"Certainly," replied one of the guests. "A letter by Hugo or Lamartine or Gautier is more than worth its weight in gold."

"And a letter by Dumas—this one, for instance?"

"I will give you 5 louis for it?"

"Agreed!"

And that generous, flattered millionaire financier, who had been making bargains—and nothing else—all his life, sold for more than 100 francs the letter of Dumas, whom he had refused to oblige in the morning. Could meanness go further?—Pearson's.

**One Way to Cut Brass.**

To cut sheet brass chemically the following method meets with great success: Make a strong solution of bichloride of mercury in alcohol. With a quill pen draw a line across the brass where it is to be cut. Let it dry on and with the same pen draw over this line with nitric acid. The brass may then be broken across like glass that has been cut with a diamond.—Exchange.

**Recommendation Not Necessary.**

"So you're going to leave us, Mary?"

"Yes, mum. I've got to."

"And do you want me to give you a letter of recommendation?"

"It ain't necessary, mum. The man I'm going to work for is willing to take chances. I'm leavin' to get married."—Detroit Free Press.

**The Spirit of Charity.**

"I'm awfully sorry that my engagements prevent my attending your charity concert, but I shall be with you in spirit."

"Splendid! And where would you like your spirit to sit? I have tickets here for $2.50, $5 and $10."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

**Touching.**

She—Your friend Jims was here this morning asking for you and told me such a touching story. He (absentmindedly)—For how much?—Baltimore American.

**Two Eccentric Wills.**

A Frenchman, embittered toward his people and country, willed his money to the poor of London, and his body to be thrown into the sea a mile from the English shore. Another, evidently a good liver, desired that every day a new cooking recipe should be pasted upon his tomb.

## AD WOLGAST MOVES ON

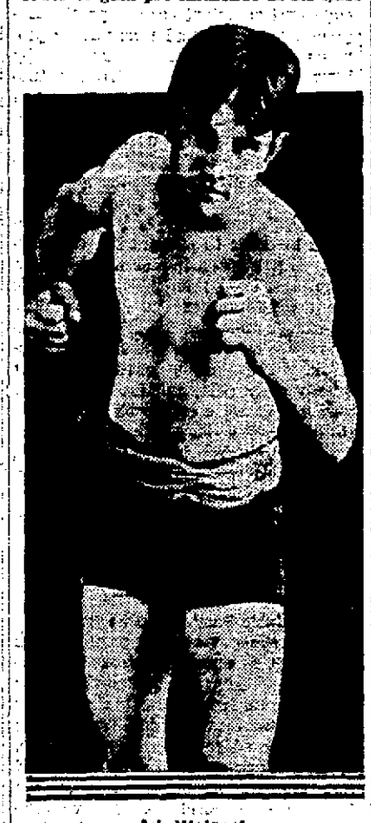
**Will Never Take Part in Another Serious Encounter.**

**Ring Never Had Flashier Career in Its History Than That Shown by Cadillac Boy Never Ranked as Popular Champion.**

Wolgast has moved on. He says he never will don another pair of boxing gloves for a serious encounter in the ring and doubts very much whether he will ever be induced to even look at the modern tools of ring warfare again. Yet he is only twenty-seven years old.

The ring never had a flashier career in its history than that shown by Wolgast. He started battling in 1906, was a sensation out on the Pacific coast in 1908, became lightweight champion of the world by defeating Battling Nelson on February 22, 1910, twice broke his arm on mediocre opponents, suffered an attack of appendicitis and went through an operation and then lost his title to Willie Ritchie on a foul on November 28, 1912.

Despite the fact that Wolgast must be tabbed as one of the world's greatest fighting machines he always had a tough time getting any sort of recognition. Perhaps it was an indifferent personality and the fact that he whipped one of the country's idols in order to gain pre-eminence in his class



Ad. Wolgast.

that brought about the conditions for the little German. Perhaps it was a noisy manager. At any rate he never was a popular champion, even in the face of sterling fighting qualities.

Like most men of his slipshod business methods, Ad was lacking in an appreciation of the value of physical conservation. He liked the bright lights as well as anybody and seldom turned down genial companionship. But he wasn't slipshod when it came to providing for the future for himself and his family. They will never have to give the former champion any benefits.

## WHY SINCLAIR IS ADMIRED

According to a story going the rounds, Garry Herrmann, chairman of the National commission, and Harry Sinclair, Federal league "angel" and Oklahoma oil magnate, elbowed each other trying to pay the check in the Ritz-Carleton at Philadelphia after the recent "peace conference."

"It's on me, take it out of this," said Garry, flourishing a brand-new century note.

"This way, waiter, that other gentleman's money is counterfeit," said Sinclair, waving a $50 bill.

The waiter was kind enough to permit Herrmann to pay the "freight." Sinclair tossed his $50 note at the waiter, saying:

"If I can't buy I can do the tipping."

Perhaps it is this trait on the part of Mr. Sinclair that makes certain newspaper men we know so anxious to have him remain in baseball.

**English Stroke for Harvard Oarsmen.**

Under Coach William Haines and Head Coach Herrick, it is probable that Harvard oarsmen will be taught the English stroke with some slight modification. This will bring Harvard and Yale to the starting post at New London next June rowing practically the same stroke and leaving it a question of material and polish as to which will win the big series of races.

**Sculler Joins Army.**

Robert G. Dibble of the Don Rowing club of Toronto, champion single sculler of this country and Canada, has enlisted in the artillery and is in the Kingston camp of Canadian soldiers.

**No Hurry at All.**

"Your wife has a muscular affection which renders her speechless. I can cure her, but it will take time." "Take all the time you want, doc," responded the mean man.—Louisville Courier-Journal.


# Large, Wide and Four-in-Hand Ties, Hundreds to Pick From

# 25c

We sold 1300 last year.

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Roberts-Wicks Suits of Utica, N. Y. They Have the Tailoring and Style

$14.75
$16.50
$18.00
$22.50
$25.00

**Wool Sweaters of the "Hoag" Make, $3.98**

Gray, either light or dark, brown, maroon, blue, made with the shawl collar and all wool. Other sweaters at $1.48, $2.98, $4.85, $6.85, $7.85.

**Monarch or Emery Shirts, at - - - - $1.00**

Either soft cuff style or with starched cuffs; choose from many patterns. Others at $1.50 and $2.00.

**Boys' Mackinaws, Post Graduate Make $4.85**

Ages 7 to 18, heavy, warm kind, cut full length. Big line of patterns to pick from.

**Dress Gloves of Wilson Bros. Make $1.00**

Gloves that fit and have the style, tan in color. Other gloves at $1.25 and $1.50.

**Gold Bond Hats, Soft or Stiff, $2.00**

We have a big line of shapes and many pretty colors in Gold Bond soft hats; also good shapes in stiff hats. Soft hats sell best.

**Caps--Many New Patterns Here $1.00**

Another big shipment of dollar caps; just came in; some loud, some tame. See them.

**Belt and Garter Set in Box 50c**

Black leather belts and a pair of Boston Garters, pretty colors, pretty box.

**Big Line of Young Men's Snappy Overcoats, $14.75**

The patch pocket make, with or without a velvet collar; also other models in tan, gray, brown and plaids; only all wool coats; many to choose from.

**Men's Overcoats of The Neat Staple Kind, $18.00**

The dark gray, the medium shade of gray, browns and blacks, either plain collar or velvet; cut a medium length. See many on second floor.

# Ostrander & Woolsey

For years with Sam Bernstein & Co.

Head of Wall St., Next to Carl's Dept. Store Kingston, N.Y.


**Such Inconsistency!**

"It seems to me that these preachers are mighty inconsistent," remarked the fat man.

"What is the matter with them?" asked the thin man.

"Why, they advocate universal peace, and yet they go right on marrying couples," replied the fat man.—Buffalo Courier.

**Only a Branch.**

"If you really are connected with the Von Blewbludds why haven't you a family tree?"

"Well—ahem—to tell the truth, our family, you know, is only a branch."—Puck.

**Economical.**

Wife (who has been out shopping all day)—Oh, dear, how tired and hungry I am! Husband—Didn't you have any lunch in town? Wife—A plate of soup only; I didn't feel that I could afford to have more. Husband—Did you find the hat you wanted? Wife—Oh, yes; it is a perfect dream, John, and it cost only $28!—Collier's Weekly.

**She Didn't Mind.**

"Sarah, I wish you would be more careful. I do not like to hear your mistress scolding you so often," said the master of the house to the maid.

"Oh, don't mind me, sir," replied Sarah simply; "I take no notice."

**Possible.**

The tall, fidgety man hurriedly entered the depot and, addressing a bystander, asked, "Do you think I can catch the flier for Chicago?"

The man addressed casually surveyed the other's long legs and, slowly removing the cigar from between his lips, replied, "Well, it looks like you ought to, but you'd better hurry, for she's been gone half an hour."—Judge.

**Labouchere's Sarcasm.**

Of Gladstone Henry Labouchere once remarked, "I do not object to Mr. Gladstone occasionally having an ace up his sleeve, but I do wish he would not always say that Providence put it there."

**What She Feared.**

"I love you," he said. "Let us be sweethearts."

"You admire beauty?"

"Yes. My only books are woman's looks."

"I think," said the girl, "that we had better not become engaged. I fear that you could not be contented with a library of one volume."—Pittsburgh Post.

**Home, Home, Sweet Home.**

Mr. Spudd (angrily)—I was certainly the biggest fool in the world when I asked you to marry me!

Mrs. Spudd (dangerously sweet)—Not the biggest, dearest; I accepted you!—Chicago News.


# COAL COAL

WE WILL SERVE OUR CUSTOMERS WITH COAL FROM OUR BROADWAY YARD. TELEPHONE YOUR ORDERS TO 452, AND WE WILL MAKE DELIVERIES AS USUSAL.

# TELLER & TAPPEN

# DAY'S WAR NEWS AT A GLANCE

**Paris—French artillery successes reported along entire battle front.**

**Washington—Austria's reply to demand that sinking of Ancona be disavowed was expected to be handed to Ambassador Penfield today. Officials inclined to believe reply will be conciliatory.**

**Berlin—Four enemy aeroplanes were destroyed by German artillery. German aviators successfully atacked British steamer in western war theater. In Balkans, Austro-Hungarians are driving back Montenegrins.**

**Sofia—In 10 days operations Bulgarians captured 60 field cannon, 150 mountain cannon and 80 heavy howitzers.**

**Athens—Salonika armed camp. Anglo-French forces expect German Allies to attack city. Officially stated Bulgarian troops have not entered Greece.**

## LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

**Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.**

George Schoonmaker died Monday at his home in West New Brighton, Staten Island. He was a resident of this city for several years and is survived by his widow, who was Miss Fannie Allen, of Ponckhockie. The interment will be made in Montrepose cemetery upon the arrival of the 2:25 train from New York in this city.

The funeral of Rhinehart Rabe, who was employed by Harry R. Brigham at Lake Katrine, and who perished in the storm a short distance from his house Monday evening, will be held from the English Lutheran Church of the Redeemer on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Mr. Rabe is survived by his wife and three children.

Mrs. Frank Babcock, who has been ill for the past few weeks, died at her home on Market street, Saugerties, early Monday morning, in her 62nd year. She was the daughter of the late David Tinklepaugh of Malden. Beside her husband she is survived by two sons, Charles and Arthur W., the latter in the U. S. navy, and one sister, Mrs. May Tiffany, of Malden.

Captain Fred W. Castle died this morning at the residence of Mrs. James Schoonmaker, No. 41 Hudson street, where he made his home, aged 91 years. One daughter, Mrs. Ida Hayner of Troy, N. Y., survives. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed. Captain Castle was a well known riverman for many years but of late has led a retired life.

Mrs. August Poleschner, a former resident of Saugerties, died very suddenly at her home in Haines Falls on Saturday. Her husband that morning had gone on a hunting trip leaving his wife in apparently good health and when he returned he found her ill. The body was taken to Saugerties this afternoon and services were held in the Lutheran Church with interment in Mount View cemetery.

Charles Andres, Sr., died on Tuesday at his home, No. 24 Hoffman street, aged 78 years. He had been a resident of this city for a number of years, coming here from Germany in 1883. He made his home with his son, Charles Andres, Jr., who is [illegible] ris & Company. Mr. Andres was a faithful member of the Spring Street Lutheran Church from which the funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in Montrepose cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Noone, widow of Luke Noone, died this morning at her home, 172 Pearl street, after a brief illness. She was born in Rondout and spent her whole life in Kingston. She was the daughter of James and Jane Diamond and was married February 16, 1854, her husband dying March 1[illegible], 1905. Mrs. Noone's death will cause grief to a large circle of loving friends who admired her charity to all. She was deeply interested in religious and charitable work and was instrumental in building St. Joseph's Church. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Jane S. Noone O'Leary and Mrs. E. H. Tindale. The funeral services will be held Satur[illegible] although the time has not been decided.

George R. Adams, the oldest member of the Ulster County Bar Association, died on Tuesday at his home in High Falls, aged [illegible] years. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Trinity M. E. Church on Wurts street, with interment in Montrepose Cemetery. He is survived by four children, W. F. Adams, Mrs. R. M. Van Gaasbeek, George F. Adams and Willard M. Adams. Mr. Adams was born at Charlotteville, N. Y., and received his early education there and he was a graduate of Wesleyan University. He had been a resident of this city many years but about three years ago he gave up the practice of law and removed to High Falls, where he has since resided. Mr. Adams had been an active member of Trinity M. E. Church for about forty-five years and he was always deeply interested in church work and gave much of his time to it. For years he was chorister of the church and he also had charge of the singing in the Sunday school. Mr. Adams was greatly interested in the temperance question. Through his long practice at the Ulster county bar Mr. Adams became widely known throughout this vicinity and made a host of friends.

George A. Kerr, a prominent resident of Boise, Idaho, formerly for many years a well known resident of this city, died unexpectedly on Monday, December 13, at Denver, Colorado, where he became ill while enroute to California for a visit. Mr. Kerr was born in Kingston. He was a son of the late Robert A. Kerr, and a number of years ago he conducted a hotel at the corner of the Strand and Hasbrouck avenue, where the Cordts building now stands. Later he was engaged in the brick manufacturing business with the late Senator John N. Cordts and later in the flour and feed business with his brother-in-law, Frank H. Griffiths, under the firm name of Griffiths & Kerr. About ten years ago he went to Boise, Idaho, where he established himself in the laundry business. He operated the only natural hot water laundry in the world the water used in the plant being supplied from a geyser which furnished a continuous supply of hot water, around which the laundry building was constructed. He was a brother of the late Robert W. Kerr, who conducted a farm on Albany avenue until his death, and was also a brother of the late Mrs. William Hutton, Mrs. Frank H. Griffiths and Mrs. Peter Gallagher, all of this city. He is survived by his widow and one sister, Miss Margaret Kerr of Abeel street. The remains will be brought to Kingston and the funeral will be held here. The time of the arrival of the remains is uncertain on account of the storm, but probably will be Friday. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Miss Frances Shufeldt, who died Tuesday morning at the Huntington, was prominently identified with the Industrial Home, of which she was secretary since its foundation, and she was one of its founders. She was also one of the founders of the Bethany Mission, and her other activities of a religious nature were largely with the First Dutch Church, of which she had been a member since her youth. The Industrial Home and the Bethany Mission occupied practically all her time. She devoted herself to their interest, and hundreds of men and women throughout the United States have grown to maturity in homes provided by Miss Shufeldt's activities. She was always interested in children and when they were once placed in the care of the Industrial Home she kept track of them for the remainder of their lives. The work which she did for the children of the home she accomplished also for older people connected with the Bethany Mission. Both institutions were fostered by Miss Shufeldt and the late Miss Mary Isabella Forsyth, and the untiring efforts of these women will be long remembered by a grateful community. Miss Shufeldt was a daughter of the late George A. Shufeldt of this city. She was one of a family of eight children, the most distinguished member of which was the late Admiral Robert Shufeldt of the United States navy, who as commander in the navy was in charge of the opening of the ports of China to the trade of the world. Her other brothers were Alexander W., William, Henry and George Shufeldt, and her sisters were Mrs. Mary Talmadge of this city, who died several years ago, and Mrs. Ellen Pickering, who resided here for a number of years. She is survived by a number of nephews and nieces, only one of whom, George A. Shufeldt, of Shufeldt street, is a resident of this city. In self-denying devotion to the cause of philanthropy and charity, Miss Shufeldt has had few equals in Ulster county. Her life was lived for no other purpose than to bring success and happiness to the unfortunate, and how well she succeeded is attested by the testimonials of hundreds of men and women who came under her influence.

### New York Produce Market.

Wheat—Firm. December, $1.22½ nominal; May, $1.24½; Spot No. 2 red winter, $1.30½ c. i. f. New York to arrive, $1.34 f. o. b. to arrive.

Corn—Dull. No. 2 yellow, 80½c.

Oats.—Steady. No. 3 white, 45 @ 46c; No. 4 white, 44 @ 45c; ordinary to fancy white clipped, 45 @ 49c.

Rye.—Firmer. No. 2 western, $1.04, c. i. f. New York; state, $1.06 f. o. b. New York.

Barley—Easy and nominal. Malting, 74 @ 82c; c. i. f. Buffalo.

Hay—Fair demand. No. 1, $1.20 @ $1.25; No. 3, 95 @ $1.05; clover mixed, $1.00 @ $1.15.

Straw—Steady. No. 1 straight rye, 65 @ 70c.

Flour—Firm. Spring patents, $5.60 @ $5.85; straights, $5.35 @ $5.50; clears, $5.10 @ $5.25; winter patents, $5.45 @ $5.70; straights, $5.30 @ $5.45; clears, $4.85 @ $5.20.

Potatoes—easy. White, nearby, $2.25 @ $3.00; Bermudas, $4.00 @ $6.50; Jersey and southern sweets, $1.00 @ $2.25.

Butter—Firm. Creamer extra, 36 @ 36½c; creamery firsts, 28½ @ 35c; higher scoring, 37 @ 37½c; state dairy, tubs, 22 @ 33c; process extra, 24½ @ 25½; Creamery firsts, 23 @ 24c.

Eggs—Firm. Nearby white, fancy, 50 @ 54c; nearby brown, fancy, 40 @ 44c; extras, 41 @ 42c; firsts, 36 @ 37c.

Milk—The nominal wholesale price is 4¼ cents a quart delivered in New York.

### DIED.

HUTTON.—In this city, Monday, December 13, 1915, Margaret, wife of Alexander Hutton.

Funeral services will be held from her late residence, 22 Second avenue, Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Please omit flowers. Interment in Montrepose Cemetery.

ADAMS.—At High Falls, on Tuesday, December 14, 1915, George R. Adams, in his 76th year.

Funeral from the Trinity M. E. Church, Wurts street, on Friday, December 17, 1915, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Montrepose Cemetery.

ANDRES—In this city, Tuesday, December 14, 1915, Charles Andres, Sr., aged 78 years.

Funeral Friday, December 17, at 2 o'clock from Spring Street German Lutheran Church. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Montrepose cemetery.

# FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 15.—There was vigorous buying all through the list at the opening and after the first few minutes carrying prices of many stocks up to a new high level since early in November. Texas company made a gain of five points to 230 and other specialties made proportionate gains. Most interest was attached to the trading in Marine certificates which advanced to 77¼ against 75⅝ at the close yesterday. Studebaker yielded ¾ at the opening to 172¼ and then rose to 175. New York Central continued in brisk demand, moving up to 105⅞, again lifting the high record since 1913. Alaska Gold made a gain of ⅞ to 25. Fractional advances were made in Union Pacific, St. Paul and Southern Pacific. United States Steel common advanced ¼ to 86⅝ on fairly large trading. Some recessions were noted at the end of the first 15 minutes but the demand continued brisk.

The show of strength continued in the last half of the first hour with a number of issues scoring additional gains. Texas Oil continued in demand, rising to 236, and a gain of 1⅝ was made in marine certificates which rose to 77¼. In the late forenoon, however, stocks were freely supplied and sharp recessions followed in a number of the leading issues. Studebaker dropped 2¼ to 172¾. Steel common ⅜ to 86⅞, New York Central ¾ to 105⅛, and fractional losses were noted in a number of other standard stocks. Call money lending at 2 per cent.

After mid-day the market again developed a strong tone and substantial upturns were noted in many of the leading issues. Texas Oil continued prominent, advancing to 236 against 225 at the close yesterday. Studebaker was active and strong rising 3 points to 176. Willys-Overland receded ¾ to 248¾. Anaconda rose ½ to 86⅝, Inspiration ½ to 44⅞ and Mexican Petroleum 1¾ to 95¾. Price changes in the rest of the active list were confined to fractions.

The market closed with specialties strong and the general list steady. Mexican Petroleum scored a further advance to a new high record at 100½. There were wide fluctuations in Baldwin Locomotive and Studebaker with sharp reactions after substantial gains. Texas Company after selling at 235, a rise of 10 points reacted to 233. International Mercantile Marine preferred certificates were dealt in on a large scale at a decline of a point to around 76. Bethlehem Steel jumped 10 points to 480. Anglo-French bonds rallied slightly after the Morgan statement, selling at 94¾ regular way. Government bonds unchanged. Rock Island bonds were heavy but other bonds were strong.

### THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS

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| Allis-Chalmers | 32⅛ |
| American Beet Sugar | 70½ |
| American Car & Foundry | 80¼ |
| American Can | 90⅞ |
| American Cotton Oil | 56 |
| American Ice Securities | 27 |
| American Locomotive | 69 |
| American Smelting & Ref. Co. | 93 |
| American Sugar | 116 |
| American Telephone & Telegraph | |
| Anaconda Copper Mining | 86 |
| Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe | 106⅛ |
| Baldwin Loco | 116½ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 92¾ |
| Bethlehem Steel Co. | 482 |
| Brooklyn Rapid Transit | 88½ |
| Canadian Pacific | 187 |
| Central Leather | 54 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 62½ |
| Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul | |
| Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific | 15⅞ |
| Colorado Fuel & Iron | 51⅞ |
| Consolidated Gas, N. Y. | 143 |
| Corn Products | 19⅛ |
| Crucible Steel | 72½ |
| Distillers' Securities | 49½ |
| Erie | 42⅝ |
| Erie, 1st pfd | |
| General Electric | |
| Goodrich Rubber | 72⅞ |
| Great Northern, pfd | 125⅜ |
| Great Northern Ore | 45⅝ |
| Illinois Central | |
| Interborough Con | 21⅞ |
| Inter-Con. pfd | 78½ |
| Kansas City Southern | 31 |
| Louisville & Nashville | |
| Lehigh Valley | 82 |
| Maxwell Motor | 76½ |
| Maxwell Motor 1st pfd | 101¼ |
| Maxwell Motor 2d pfd | 56¼ |
| Mexican Petroleum | |
| Missouri Pacific | 3½ |
| National Lead | 64 |
| New York Central | 105⅝ |
| N. Y., N. H. & H. | 75 |
| New York, Ontario & Western | 30¼ |
| Norfolk & Western | 121¾ |
| Northern Pacific | 115¾ |
| Pennsylvania Railroad | 58⅞ |
| People's Gas, Chicago | |
| Pittsburgh Coal | 37¼ |
| Pressed Steel Car | 64½ |
| Railway Steel Sp'g | 44⅞ |
| Reading | 81 |
| Rep. Iron & Steel | 55⅞ |
| Southern Pacific | 101 |
| Southern Railway | 22¼ |
| Southern Railway, pfd | |
| Studebaker | 178⅛ |
| Tennessee Copper | 57⅝ |
| Third Ave. R. R. | 61½ |
| Union Pacific | 137⅞ |
| U. S. Steel | 86¾ |
| U. S. Steel, pfd | 116⅞ |
| U. S. Rubber | 54 |
| Utah Copper | 79⅞ |
| Virginia Car. Chem | |
| Western Union | |
| Westinghouse Electric | 68¾ |

### NEW PALTZ.

New Paltz, Dec. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephens of Middletown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Ayers.

Mrs. Philip Ayers and friends motored to Ashokan last Sunday.

### No Paper Train Yet.

The New York paper train, carrying also the mail, which was due at 6:33 this morning had not reached this city at 3:15 o'clock this afternoon.

**Like Qualities Attract.**

**We never know a greater character unless there is in ourselves something congenial to it.—Channing.**

# SAFE CONDUCT FOR GERMAN ATTACHES

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The British embassy today officially confirmed the announcement made two days ago that safe conduct has been granted Captain Boy-Ed and Captain von Papen, German naval and military attaches who have been recalled at the demand of this government. As previously stated, the officers are expected to sail from New York December 28.

# FORD'S PEACE SHIP REACHES ENGLAND

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

London, Dec. 15.—Henry Ford's peace ship, the liner Oscar II, arrived at Kirkwall this morning, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

Kirkwall is the British naval base in the Orkneys where all naval prizes are taken. The foregoing dispatch indicates that the liner has been held up by the British authorities.

### ODDS AND ENDS.

Thirty members of the St. George Society of Saugerties dined at Fischer's Hotel on the Strand on Sunday.

The steamer Mohawk arrived in the creek on Tuesday evening with a load of plaster for David Gill, Jr. The veteran captain, Ike Hotaling, was at the helm and despite the storm and ice brought the vessel safely into the creek.

The meeting of the Colonial Glee Club which was scheduled for Monday evening at the Elks' Club was postponed on account of the storm until this evening at 8 o'clock at the Elks' Club. Every member is requested to make an effort to be out at this meeting.

### THE JOINERS.

**News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.**

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Kosciusko Lodge, No. 86, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows' Hall, 635 Broadway.

Aretas Lodge, No. 172, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows' Hall, 36 East Strand.

Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers, Local No. 255, at 635 Broadway.

Women's International Label League, at 635 Broadway.

Patriotic Order Sons of America, Washington Camp, No. 2, at 5 Thomas street.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., Division No. 4, held at the home of Miss Marion Tompkins, Newkirk avenue, December 9, the following officers were elected: President, Kathryn Broaders; vice-president, Kathryn Welsh; recording secretary, Marion Tompkins; financial secretary, Mary Breithaupt; mistress at arms, Kathryn Corcoran; sentinel, Margaret Malone.

Tuesday evening the members of Ulster Lodge, No. 76, Knights of Pythias, held an important meeting at the lodge rooms and elected officers. The officers elected were: Chancellor commander, Cortland Smith; vice chancellor, Charles Bishop; prelate, Nicholas Zupp; master of work, Morris Kaplan; keeper of records and seal, Richard Dawe; master of finance, Robert W. Flemming; master of exchequer, Charles W. Deyo; master at arms, Henry Eldridge; inside guard, Allan Bailey; outside guard, Frank J. Wood; trustee, Henry Eldridge.

### Chicago Grain Market.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Wheat closed ⅜ @ ½c lower. Corn was ¾ to 1¾ higher. Oats closed unchanged. Provisions closed fractionally lower.

**Closing Prices.**

Wheat.—May, $1.17; December, $1.16 bid; July, $1.09⅝.

Corn—May, 72 @ ⅛c; December, 69½c.

Oats.—May, 45 @ ⅛c; December, 42 @ ⅛c.

### Willard to Fight Fulton.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Jess Willard, heavyweight champion pugilist, and Fred Fulton, the Rochester, Minn., heavyweight, signed articles here this afternoon for a 20-round fight before the Tulane Athletic Club of New Orleans on March 4 next. The referee is to be agreed upon at a later date.

### Austrians in Montenegro.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Vienna, via Berlin, wireless, Dec. 15.—The Austro-Hungarian army of Gen. Von Koevess has penetrated to the Tara river on its invasion of Montenegro—a distance of nearly 20 miles into the interior—it was officially reported by the Austrian war office today.

### "Sour Grapes" This Evening.

The second number in the Star course of entertainments will be given this evening in Y. M. C. A. Hall at 8:15 o'clock, when Dr. Edward Amherst Ott will deliver his famous lecture, "Sour Grapes." This lecture has been delivered over 2,000 times and heard by over a million people with enjoyment.

### Professor is Snowbound.

The dancing class of Prof. Clyde Van Steenburgh will not be held this evening as the professor is snowbound at Saugerties and will not be able to reach Kingston in time.

# SHOT THREE AND KILLED HIMSELF

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 15.—Frantic from illnes Frederick Schaeffer, a former member of the fire department, shot and killed one of his children, killed his mother-in-law, shot his wife and then, after trying to shoot another child, committed suicide. The tragedy occurred today in Schaeffer's home at Corona, Long Islanr. Schaeffer suffered from locomotor ataxia which compelled him to retire from the fire department recently.

### ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Mrs. A. Schmidikonz left this morning for New York city and Mt. Vernon where she will visit friends.

John W. Bogert, a graduate of Spencer's Business School, has obtained through Spencer's free employment department, a permanent business position as bookkeeper and secretary with the Woodcrest Farm, Rifton.

**The Degradation of Matter.**

If we examine the life history of any substance with sufficient knowledge and sufficient care, says the Engineer, we shall find that nature provides means and forces that little by little are turning that substance into dust. The manipulations of man greatly assist in the process. But nature itself is always active in it and even without man's aid is quite competent to achieve the task. At times we strive to hinder the process, as, for example, when we apply paint to ironwork in order to prevent it from rusting. But we can hinder it only for a time, and even then we merely check the degradation of one substance by degrading another. Thus we have constantly to renew the paint on our ironwork. The former coats disappear wholly or in part, and the material of which they were composed has turned to dust. We may accordingly look forward to a time when all matter will be uniformly distributed as dust throughout space, a condition that, according to the nebular hypothesis, actually did prevail at one time, before the universe, as we know it, was formed.

**Uncle Sam's Big Checks.**

When the government pays a claim or debt it is done by a treasury warrant, signed by the secretary of the treasury. In May, 1904, the secretary signed a warrant for $40,000,000, which was delivered to J. P. Morgan & Co. of New York as disbursing agents of this government on account of the Panama canal purchase. This was the largest warrant ever issued. The largest sum previously covered by a single government warrant was for $7,200,000, paid to Russia in 1868 on account of the Alaskan purchase. The next largest sum was $5,500,000, paid in 1876 to the British government on account of the Halifax award under the treaty of Washington for infringement of fishing rights in Nova Scotian waters. In 1899 this government paid Spain, through the French ambassador, $20,000,000 for the Philippine Islands, but this sum was represented by four warrants of $5,000,000 each.—Philadelphia Press.

**Broadway Noon Idyl.**

Every weekday at noon the chimes of Grace church, in New York, send down into the clatter of Broadway the strains of old familiar hymns. The other day the chimes had just finished Pleyel's hymn. They began a new melody, which in the midst of the city's roar was not at first distinguishable. Then the tangle of notes unwound itself and through the noises of the street sounded the sweet notes of "Just as I Am, Without One Plea."

Car wheels clanked, car brakes shrieked, iron shod horse hoofs smote the stones of the street, motor horns blew raucously; there was the sound of a myriad human feet and of many human voices, and through it all—"Just as I Am, Without One Plea."

Pedestrians took up the theme and hummed it absentmindedly. Old scenes were brought back, old faiths strengthened, old blessings remembered.—Christian Herald.

**First English Book on Sport.**

The first book on sport ever printed in the English language was a rimed treatise called the "Boke of St. Albands," its author being a woman, Dame Juliana Berners. Its second edition was printed by Wynkyn de Worde in 1496. A descendant of her family, Lord Berners, was the translator of Froissart's "Chronicles." It is true that old manuscripts existed, such as the "Venerie de Twecy" of the time of Edward II., but it was Dame Juliana who was the real ancestress of sporting literature in England, for she also composed an essay on hawking and another on "Fishing With an Angle," the last being of such excellence that Izaak Walton himself did take a hint from its pages.

**Parasol Monoplanes.**

The "parasol plane" is really a biplane with the lower pair of wings removed, the engine, pilot and observer all sitting under the upper plane and thus giving rise to the nickname of "parasol." This type of monoplane is chiefly used for directing the fire of the guns. In an ordinary monoplane it is difficult for the observer to see below him.—Pearson's Weekly.

**Fighting Fishes of Siam.**

The Siamese devote great care to the cultivation of their famous fighting fishes, known as plakat. The interest in the fights, on which the spectators stake large sums of money, is so great that the license to hold them brings a large annual revenue to the king of Siam.—Westminster Gazette.

# DAY'S DOINGS IN CONGRESS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Senate in recess until noon tomorrow.

House met at noon.

House ways and means committee favorably reported resolution continuing war tax bill for one year.

House received a dozen messages from President Wilson submitting annual reports of various officials, bureaus and commissions.

House passed miscellaneous bills authorizing the construction of bridges over rivers under federal control.

## A HISTORIC HOUSE.

**Where Tyndale Started to Translate the Bible Into English.**

About two miles from the old market town of Chipping Sodbury, England, stands an old time house known as Little Sodbury manor house, which, quite apart from its celebrity as one of the oldest examples of domestic architecture in Gloucestershire, has been justly styled "the birthplace of the English Bible."

In one of the old rooms William Tyndale, who lived there for two years, conceived the idea and commenced the work of translating the New Testament into English.

In 1521 Sir John Walsh, owner of the manor house, had need of a chaplain and tutor for his children, and his choice fell upon Tyndale, who had just completed his university career. Tyndale was in great favor with his master, who encouraged him in the great work he had undertaken.

It is quite possible that the translation would have been completed here, but Tyndale, having expressed his opinions too freely to the neighboring clergy, found himself secretly charged with heresy and summoned to appear before the chancellor of the diocese. Although at the time he was merely admonished, he did not consider it safe to continue in the manor house, thereby involving his patron in danger, so he left and proceeded with his translation in London.—Christian Science Monitor.

## RACHEL AT REHEARSAL.

**A Stage Accident That Inspired the Great Tragedienne.**

Let me relate to you a little reminiscence which Marie Laurent gave me of Rachel (Elisa Felix Rachel, famous French tragedienne). She said that once when she was rehearsing the suivante in "Les Horaces" Rachel was distressed because she could not put sufficient expression into the curse that Camille pronounced on her brother after he had slaughtered her lover.

While she was laboring in that attempt, "getting dryer every moment," as she herself expressed it, an iron vise that was being turned at rapid pace by a large screw caught a finger of one of the stage mechanics and crushed it till the blood ran down. Every one screamed; Rachel fainted.

On recovering consciousness she said, "Some drops from the mangled finger of a stranger made me faint, yet I could look at a sword covered with the life blood of my dearest and only rant." She then hurled forth the famous imprecation de Camille in a way that brought every hammer on the stage to a standstill and "struck terror to us all."—Princess Lazarovich-Hrebelianovich in Century Magazine.

**Bowler Hat.**

Although, according to Sir James Linton, the bowler hat was worn by the ancient Greeks, its beauties were not discovered by Englishmen until about a century ago.

Mrs. A. M. W. Stirling, the biographer of Coke of Norfolk, says that it was first made fashionable by Coke's nephew, William Coke, "who decided that a hat originally designed by William Bowler, a hatter in the borough, would suit his requirements." To the popularity of Billy Coke is generally ascribed the word "Billycock," but Sir James Murray thinks otherwise.

The New English Dictionary traces its origin to "Bully cocked, used 1721, probably meaning 'cocked after the fashion of the bullies.'" — London Opinion.

**Household Helps.**

Often it is difficult to run the rod through freshly laundered sash curtains. This can be made easier by placing an old glove finger over the end of the curtain rod.

Often a comparatively new hot water bottle will get a little hole in it. The hole can be mended by covering it with several applications of court plaster, allowing each application to dry before another is added.

A teaspoonful of common salt placed in the bottom of a kerosene lamp will make it give a clear light and prevent it from smoking.—Woman's Magazine.

**Pictorial Wash Lists.**

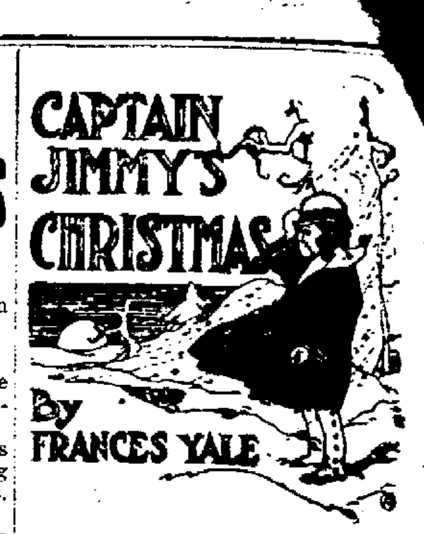
Pretty old inventions are our modern wash lists. The old German housewife had an odd way of keeping track of the garments she gave out to be washed. She had a picture of each article and wrote down the number of everything opposite to it with a piece of chalk, which was rubbed out when the article was returned, to be used again the next week. It was really a pictorial and perpetual wash list.

**When He Was Lavish.**

"I presume you still remember your wedding trip?"

"Yes, indeed. And I often wish that my husband had continued to care as little for money as he seemed to on that first journey we took together."—Detroit Free Press.

What you lose today you cannot gain tomorrow.—Ruskin.




CAPTAIN Jimmy Smith lived in a funny little house down on the beach. Once it had been the cabin of his old schooner, Skimmer; now it was the only home Captain Jimmy and his cat Vixen had.

In the summer time he sold fish and clams and lobsters to the summer cottagers, but in the winter he had hard work to keep the little cabin warm and find food for himself and Vixen.

It was the day before Christmas, and the beach was rough with ice.

"Snow!" said Captain Jimmy, as he left his little house and went up toward the village. His pipe was between his teeth, but he was not smoking—he was out of tobacco.

He smiled sadly because he knew that he would have a lonely Christmas. He had no wife or children, and he was very much alone. The poor are often forgotten.

By the time Captain Jimmy had bought some flour and salt pork and a little coffee it was dark and snowing fast. So when he heard the sound of children crying he stopped in surprise.

"Hullo!" shouted Captain Jimmy, and the crying stopped at once. In another minute he almost tumbled over two little children who were running along the beach path.

"Heave ho!" called Captain Jimmy, and he put out a long arm and gathered the little ones close to him. "What are you doing here?" he shouted, for the wind was screaming now.

They tried to explain, but Captain Jimmy couldn't understand a word they said, they cried so much, and at last, half dragging, half carrying them, he hurried them into the warm little cabin where he lived.

When the kerosene lamp was lighted the two children stopped crying and smiled at Captain Jimmy.

"Are you Thanta Claus?" one lisped, and the other little girl, who looked exactly like her, giggled and clung to Captain Jimmy's big hand.

"I love oo, Misther Thanta Claus," she whispered.

"Bless your sweet hearts," cried Captain Jimmy, his eyes full of tears, "I guess I'll have to be Santa Claus tonight! I can never get you home tonight in this howling blizzard!"

The two little girls smiled brightly and took off their red cloaks and knitted caps and leggings and rubbers.

"We're lost," said one of the twins, and she told a long story of how they had gone to walk with nurse, who had suddenly run away and left them in the woods. "We hollered, but she wouldn't come back," said Linnie sadly. "My mamma scolded her this afternoon."

"What are your names? Where do you live?" asked Captain Jimmy as he pushed them up to the table before two great bowls of bread and milk. "Brown? Goodness me, I never heard of any Browns over to the Point! You'll have to stay here till morning."

"Will Thanta Claus come here?" asked Linnie.

"He's got to!" said Captain Jimmie.

By and by after the twins had said their prayers and were sound asleep on Captain Jimmy's bed while Vixen purred at their feet, Captain Jimmy walked the floor and whistled a tune.

"I reckon that Santa Claus could never get down my little stove pipe!" he chuckled, "so I'll just have to fill those two little stockings myself!"

Sometime afterward a number of people hurried through the snow and peered into Captain Jimmy's window. What did they see? Why, just Captain Jimmy, with his empty pipe between his teeth, holding two little stockings in his hands.

CAPTAIN JIMMY HELD TWO STOCKINGS IN HIS HANDS.

Suddenly he began to take things off the mantelpiece and put them into the stockings. They were things that Captain Jimmy loved—they were all that he had—bits of coral and pretty shells from far countries, some odd wooden toys he had played with when he was a child and two red apples.

Just as he was hanging the stockings on the edge of the shelf the door burst open and some people rushed in and began to hug him and question him, and they all talked at once. They proved to be the father and mother and uncles and aunts of the lost twins, and they were so grateful to Captain Jimmy for his kindness to the twins that they insisted on taking him home with them to spend Christmas.

And Vixen, the cat, went along too, and the stockings which Captain Jimmy had filled.

Mr. Brown engaged Captain Jimmy to be captain of his yacht, and Captain Jimmy smoked his pipe and said it was his happiest Christmas.

**Source of His Ambition.**

"I have always wanted to be a detective," confessed Casper Cawstick, "so that I could poke my nose into other people's business while minding my own business."—Exchange.

# Classified Advertisements

## ONE CENT A WORD

Classified advertisements in this department will be inserted at the uniform price of one cent per word for each insertion. Advertisements after one month, one-half cent per word will be charged. No advertisement less than 15 cents. Orders may be left at the following places:

CHARLES W. CARD, Port Ewen, N. Y.
GEO W MOORE 580 Broadway.
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WILLIAM O'REILLY, 530 Broadway.
C STRUBEL, 742 Broadway.
O. B SIMPSON, 630 Broadway
FREEMAN BRANCH OFFICE, 280 Fair Street
FREEMAN, Downtown, 3-5 Broadway.

## One Cent Per Word

50 Advertisement Less Than 15 Cents.

### FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Operators Millen, Aikenhead & Company, Greenkill Ave

WANTED.—Experienced joiners, at the Fresenden shirt Factory.

WANTED—Girl or woman for general housework Reference. Mrs Geo Freer, 68 N Manor Ave

WANTED—Operators Fuller's Shirt Factory Pine Grove Ave.

CONSUMER SALESWOMEN.—Educated young ladies with cooking experience to co operate with grocery stores introducing RYZON, the perfect Baking Powder, into homes of the highest type. Work begins January 3rd Weekly salary and expense allowance, with advancement as earned Apply by letter in own handwriting stating age education, business and cooking experience Address Ryzon, room 534 25 Broad St, New York City

### TO LET.

TO LET—Apartments Delaware Ave., Spring St Hone St and 368 Broadway; house 35 Lindsley Ave. John N. Cordts Estate.

TO LET—From Jan. 1st. new six room flat. 354 Washington Ave.; improvements

TO LET—Eight room house, all improvements near new high school Inquire 39 Hasbrouck Ave.

TO LET—First floor 102 Cedar St Inquire 68 Clinton Ave.

TO LET—House 6 rooms, all improvements 106 Elmendorf St, rent $25 Inquire 110 Elmendorf St

TO LET—Cottage Improvements Inquire T E Diamond & Co

TO LET—Rooms, 78 Crown St

TO LET—Five room flat; improvements 40 First Ave

TO LET—Flat 94 Downs St Inquire 287 Washington Ave.

TO LET Upper and lower floor 267 Washington Ave near Main St Apply 60 Clinton Ave

TO LET—Flat 21 Liberty St.,

TO LET—Five rooms 177 Hasbrouck Ave Apply at 179 Hasbrouck Ave

TO LET—House all improvements 108 Hone St Staples Brick Co

TO LET New flat near high school Inquire 41 O Reilly St

TO LET 8 rooms improvements $9 50 per month. Pearl St Charles A Schermerhorn

TO LET—Six rooms upper flat, all improvements 85 Linderman Ave Inquire 394 Clinton Ave Telephone 1475-R

TO LET—Store, 327 Broadway. John G Van Etten.

FOR RENT—Crosby residence at No 112 W Chestnut St all improvements Inquire at 574 Broadway.

TO LET—Flat 114 Tremper Ave.

TO LET—House, 175 Henry St. $13

FIVE ROOM flat. St. James St all improvements Apply N. D. J. Murphy.

TO LET.—Building or store corner East Strand and Hasbrouck Ave. Estate of John N Cordts.

TO LET—Flat, 207 Downs St. Improvements

TO LET—House 64 Pine Grove Ave. Call at 100 Hoffman St.

TO LET—29 Janet St. Inquire 29 Janet St Telephone 1738-W.

FOR RENT—7 room cottage, all improvements, Lafayette Ave, $25.00. A. J. Burns

### MISCELLANEOUS.

FURNITURE storage. Mouse-proof, sanitary fire proof Frederick C. Winters, Kingston 'Phone 1493-J., or call Stuyvesant Garage.

IF you want your coal or ashes or any other odd jobs done, telephone us; we have a heavy horse and wagon that can haul two tons anywhere 'Phone 1631-J.

A LADY with $1000 giving services, would consider partnership with middle-aged single man of business ability "W W Uptown Freeman

WE want your son or daughter to attend day or evening sessions, Moran Business School Burgevin Building. Individual instruction Experienced teachers. A scholarship is a gift which will be appreciated

SPENCER'S Business School—all commercial subjects—improved methods—large equipment—expert faculty. Day and night Catalogue free.

DOLL surgeon Dolls restrung and repaired 76 Henry St Tel 1853-M.

FOR a nominal fee, young woman will care for children evenings while parents attend theatre or seek other recreation. Address Box 222 Freeman Office.

FURNITURE storage; best in city. Harry P Carr 'Phones 1178-J., 5-F3.

CAN place good loans on first mortgage at 6 per cent. Chas. O. Vogt, 574 Broadway.

THE book you want is "Laddie," price $0 cents, on sale at O'Reilly's, 530 Broadway

KINGSTON Taxicab Service. 10 cents for 1 or 2 persons; day or night. Tel. 341.

PIANOS tuned, $1.50 Marthia, 196 Prospect St. 'Phone 1782-W.

PLUMBING heating, tinning, gas fitting Jobbing promptly attended to. Joseph Prommer, 73 Brewster St. 'Phone 508-W.

### ADVERTISEMENT WRITING.

MR. MERCHANT, let me put trade-tempting tango into your advertisements, booklets, circulars, etc.—the kind that will make the dollars dance to your store. Let me feed the fervor of "fetch" into your publicity. When you're bored in your office chair and write or call me up—'twill be a turn for the better. George M. Zellmer, care of Kingston Freeman.

### IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY
DECEMBER 15

Jupiter, the governing planet of this birthday gives a genial happy nature, fondness for society, an attractive magnetic personality and a responsive love nature. Sagittarius the governing sign gives a direct, almost blunt habit of speech, a quick, active industrious nature and keen ambition.

There is musical talent here which may be developed to a high degree of achievement.

In mercantile life we find this nature at the head, a good organizer, a director and a promotor of efficiency. It is also a difficult nature to work for because it is impatient, does not like to wait for others to think over plans, but wants everything decided at once

The Freeman Want Ads will aid in finding lost articles, sales and exchanges of real estate will be especially favored during the coming week.

## One Cent Per Word

### LOST.

LOST—Purse, containing keys; valuable only to owner. 104 Main St

LOST.—Brown and black hound; answers to name of Ring Tel. 1291-J. Wm. Low.

LOST—Bunch of keys between Wall St and 455 Washington Ave Finder please return same to Ryan's store; above address

No Advertisement Less Than 15 Cents.

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Second hand furniture parlor stoves and ranges. I furnish all kinds of stove repairs. Highest prices paid for second hand furniture and stoves Morris Kaplan, 68 North Front St. Tel. 661-J

FOR SALE—Large fat hog. 'Phone 22-F-5 Miller

FOR SALE—English fox hound, male pup, 7 months old has been running rabbits Jerry Relyea, River Road, Port Ewen

FOR SALE—$3 500 house for $3 000, near new high school Eight rooms, all improvements. Address "J P" Uptown Freeman

FOR SALE—4 h. p. gasoline engine some frame and saws 118 N Front St

FOR SALE—Pair heavy bob sleighs Frederick Davis Stone Ridge

FOR SALE—Fresh cow with heifer calf, good milker also horse work anywhere single or double, cheap. Bishop, Cottekill, N. Y

FOR SALE—Pool table good condition cheap. Louis Brown, 157 Hasbrouck Ave

FOR SALE—Christmas cards at your own prices P L Dulin, Broadway and Greenkill Ave

FOR SALE—Fruit and poultry farm of about 11 acres, within city limits Geo W Van Gaasbeck, 311 Clifton Ave

FOR SALE.—Light bob sleigh and single harness, in good order S D. Gibson, 77 Pearl St

FOR SALE—Sleigh-cutter Inquire 262 Broadway

FOR SALE—Ice Plows, Saws, Tongs, Pikes etc Canfield Supply Co Strand and Ferry Sts Kingston N Y

FOR SALE—Furniture and undertaking business in good live town; must be sold on account of health T C McMurdy Hobart N Y

FOR SALE—Beaver muff and scarf good Kingston N. Y.

FOR SALE—Sterile eggs strictly fresh Homeland Farm, Tillson, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Kindling wood 2 bbls for 25 cents or 8 bbls. for $1 00 Orders promptly delivered Willis Roe 117 N Front St Telephone 1221-W

FOR SALE—Will sell several good work horses weigh 1,250 to 1,500 pounds price from $100 up DeGraff & Hasebroom Inc 168 Washington Ave Kingston N Y

FOR SALE—Corn stalks Telephone E W Hathaway Port Ewen

FOR SALE—Farm on Lucas Turnpike John G Van Etten

FOR SALE—Grocery business downtown section good location reason for selling going out of city. Address "T" Uptown Freeman

FOR SALE—Big paying proposition Property now renting for $46 per month to be sold to close an estate; price $2 500 See Merritt, 63 John St., city. Tel 1717-W

FOR SALE.—At bargain: Packard touring car Overland touring Marion touring, Maxwell runabout Studebaker runabout. Stuyvesant Garage

FOR SALE—Farms all sizes and prices M. A Reis, 595 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Grocery business and fish market; all goods and fixtures Inquire "Grocery" Uptown Freeman.

FOR SALE—Several bargains in used cars Stuyvesant Garage.

### FURNISHED ROOMS.

FURNISHED ROOMS with or without board. 67 Van Buren St.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—The Hudson House. 3 North Front St.

FURNISHED ROOMS, with or without board. United States Hotel

FURNISHED ROOMS—75 Pearl St.

FURNISHED ROOM. Apply 23 Henry St.

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, with or without board. 150 Fair St

FURNISHED ROOMS—Single or housekeeping. 39 Van Buren St.

DESIRABLE furnished room, in good location. Tel. 769-J.

FURNISHED rooms, 102 Hone St.

FURNISHED rooms with board, 25 Adams St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Rooms and board, special terms or table boarders. Sherwood Lodge, 317 Clinton Ave.

ROOMS with board. The Holland. 77 Main St.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—27 John St.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—With or without board. 189 Albany Ave.

### MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED.—First class pattern worker. Universal Road Machinery Co

WANTED.—First class barber, at Eagle Hotel Barber Shop.

WANTED.—First class auto mechanic, can work nights if preferred. Address "C." Uptown Freeman.

### WANTED.

WANTED.—Roomers and boarders. 25 Green St.

WANTED.—Roomers and boarders in private family. 27 Henry St.

WANTED.—By two ladies, after the holidays, for some months two comfortable well heated rooms with board; central location; uptown. P. O Box 11, Napanoch, N. Y.

# DEAD MAN MAY BE WILLIAM HULSE

The unknown man who was killed by a West Shore train on Monday night is now thought to be William Hulse of Newburgh. Mr. Hulse left Newburgh that day to attend a funeral in Marlborough and has not been seen since. This information was given Coroner E. A. Kelly today by a Mr Mott of Newburgh. Monday evening but a few parts of the body, which has been badly mangled, were recovered. On Tuesday a few other small pieces were found between Port Ewen station and Wilbur bridge. So far but a small portion of the body has been recovered, and Coroner Kelly has but a few clues to work on in establishing the man's identity. He so far has a small piece of a very heavy fleece lined undershirt and another small piece piece of the coat and pants and a cigarette case of gun metal with blue stones set in it and an old knife.

# BERLIN DENIES BREAD RIOT STORY

By Telegraph to The Freeman

Berlin, Dec. 15.—(By wireless)—Reports circulated in England that many persons were killed by the police in Berlin last Thursday during bread riots in the principal streets were denied today by the Overseas News Agency as follows:

The English Poldhu wireless station once more tells grewsome stories of street riots in Berlin last Thursday after the opening of the Reichstag. Thus it is reported that 2,000 persons raised the cry 'we starve!' in the main streets and that many were killed by the police.

'In fact, Berlin's main streets last Thursday were empty"

### THE PERIOD DID IT.

**You Cannot Buy a Sealskin Coat for $3.50 Anywhere on Earth.**

Another of those seemingly impossible errors crept into the advertisement of the Up-to-Date Cloak and Suit Company on Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Forman, who has an unusually fine line of genuine sealskin coats, advertised his goods at $350 and up, but when the ad appeared a period was placed between the figures making the price appear $3.50. Knowing of the fine line of goods shown by this house there was a rush to secure the coats. Personal calls and phone calls were made and Mr. Forman was kept busy explaining that it was an error made in setting up the ad A dozen persons who were desirous of owning a fur coat called and were disappointed when they found there had been a mistake made.

Mr. Forman's straightforward, honest business ability is well known by all shoppers who have patronized his store and his explanation of the affair was all that was needed to satisfy the numerous customers.

### Boston Wet by Only 14,238.

By Telegraph to The Freeman

Boston, Dec. 15.—Mayor James M. Curley received a severe rebuke from the voters yesterday when his four candidates for the city council in yesterday's election were defeated. Four candidates on the Citizens' ticket were elected The city voted license by 14,238 majority.

### New Insurance Firm.

Everett Fowler and C. V A Decker have formed a partnership in the insurance and real estate business. They will handle fire, life, accident, automobile, and marine insurance Both have been engaged in this field for a number of years and have many friends who wish them success in their business

### Birds Are Starving.

All lovers of birds are earnestly requested to scatter crumbs or suet about for food for their feathered friends, who are starving. The heavy snow has covered the usual winter food of the birds and unless they are fed at once they will starve Friends of the birds should come to the rescue at once.

### Bazar at Rosendale.

Thursday evening the Christmas bazar and supper for the benefit of the Rosendale Episcopal Church will be held. It was to have been held on Tuesday evening but the storm made it necessary to postpone It is hoped that there will be a good attendance. Supper will be served at 5 30 o'clock

### Special Mass at Sawkill.

The holy sacrifice of the mass will be offered on Thursday, December 16, at St. Ann's Church, Sawkill, by the Rev. Father Vaeth for the deceased members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Ancient Order of Hibernians, Division No. 5.

### Entertainment Postponed.

The entertainment that was to have been given by the primary class of the Lake Katrine Sunday school on Friday evening, has been postponed until further notice.

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### SOCIETY NOTES.

Owing to Monday's night's storm, there was no meeting of the Olympian Club. A postponed session will be held as so nas weather conditions permit.

The regular meeting of the executive committee of the Federation of Women's Clubs will be held on Thursday morning of this week at 10 o'clock at the home of the president, Mrs. C. K. Moulton, on Elmendorf street.

The Monday Afternoon Auction Bridge Club members were the guests of Miss Katharine O. Van Keuren at her home on Broadway this week. An exceedingly pleasant afternoon was enjoyed in spite of the storm The prize was won by Mrs. Harry Smith

**Butterfly Ball Returns.**

The amount realized from the Butterfly Ball cannot be estimated until all of the people who took tickets make returns to Mrs Thomas J. Hickey, the treasurer. Every person who has tickets or money and has not reported is delaying the statement for which the public is eagerly waiting and to which it is entitled.

**D. A. R. Social Afternoon.**

Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, there will be held at Wiltwyck House, the first of a series of social afternoons for the chapter members. The regent will be the hostess, and all members of Wiltwyck Chapter are given a most cordial invitation to be present, bring their fancy work, or come prepared to enjoy an informal game of cards.

**Monday Club.**

In spite of the blizzard conditions there was an exceedingly attended meeting of the Monday Club held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph M Fowler on St James street Mrs. Fowler had the paper for the day, her subject being, "Siberia, the Land of the Future; Some Illustrious Exiles." Next Monday the club will meet with Miss Forsyth at her home on Pearl street This will be the last meeting before the holiday recess

**Lowell Club.**

The Lowell Club met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cole The program was opened with quotations from Burke Miss Fuller had the main paper for the day, her topic being, "Edmund Burke, the Reformer." Miss Basten also had a paper on "Exodus to America and Irish Service in the American Revolution" At the business session it was voted that the club should contribute $2 to the Christmas entertainment fund for the Tuberculosis Hospital patients. The club will now take a recess until January 4th, when they will meet with Mrs. Fessenden.

**Sherman-Draffen.**

The marriage of Miss Ethel Draffen, daughter of Mr and Mrs George Draffen of Zena, and Clark C Sherman of Kerhonkson, was solemnized Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage of the Fair Street Reformed Church by the pastor, the Rev. F. B Seeley Miss Beatrice Terwilliger and Loran Krom, a cousin of the groom, were the attendants. The bride was gowned in navy blue silk. Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman left for a tour of the central part of the state and upon their return will reside at Poughkeepsie, where the groom is employed. Both bride and groom have a host of friends who wish them a long and prosperous married life

**Soiskanishade Club.**

The Soiskanishade Club met at the home of Mrs Turner on Lucas avenue on Monday afternoon The program opened with a discussion of "Thomas Jefferson and the Declaration of Independence" The principal paper for the day had for its subject, "Walt Whitman," and received careful attention at the hands of Mrs R E Leighton. Whitman was in many ways a unique man and writer. The very fact that he is universally addressed as "Walt" rather than "Walter," is symbolic of the commandery suggested by his life and works. His career was picturesque, he himself, showing strange contrasts. In his time he was regarded by many as a freak or fraud. Yet he was heralded by those in authority, both here and abroad as a master of new methods. Early in his life he was a carpenter. Some times he set type, some times wrote for the papers, again acted as editor. In 1862 he volunteered as an army nurse and served through the war, returning home greatly broken in health, due to his hospital work and the giving of himself in sympathy and courage for the wounded, for so long a time. His first publication was "Leaves of Grass," in 1855 From that time until his death, he kept adding to and revising and bring out new editions of his works His last volume, published in 1892, represented his life work. Besides "Leaves of Grass," he published, "Drum Taps," "Democratic Vistas," "Specimen Days and Collect." He died in Canton where he was known as the "Good, Gray Poet" A short paper on "Art Museums," by Miss Cloonan proved very instructive. The writer spoke of the inestimable value, historic and beautiful of many of the specimens found in these collections The principal museums in our large cities were mentioned and some of the rare collections of sculpture, art, natural history, etc., were noted The next meeting will be on January 10, 1916, when the club will take dinner at The Stuyvesant, following which they will adjourn to the home of Mrs. Harry Van Wagenen, No. 17 John street, when the election of officers will occur and topics of study for next year will be considered

### ULSTER COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Kingston N Y Dec 15 1915

Notice is hereby given that a panel of trial jurors will be drawn at this office on Saturday, December 25th 1915 at 10 o'clock a. m to serve at a term of county court, to be held in and for the county of Ulster on the 10th day of January 1916

WILLIAM C DEWITT
Clerk

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF New York, to all persons interested in the estate of Julius Blen Company, assigned to Sheldon Franklin for the benefit of creditors, send GREETING

You and each of you are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear at a special term of the county court of the county of Ulster to be held in the county court house in the city of Kingston on the 24th day of January, 1916 at eleven o'clock a. m there and then to show cause why a final settlement of the accounts of Sheldon Franklin assignee of above named Julius Blen Company insolvent debtor should not be had, and if no cause be shown then to attend the final settlement of the assignee's accounts

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto caused the seal of the said county court of the county of Ulster to be hereunto affixed

Witness, Hon. James Jenkins, judge of the said court, this 13th day of December, 1915

WILLIAM C. DEWITT,
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One bright spot during our trouble was the almost unanimous good spirit displayed by our customers, many of whom were, doubtless, greatly inconvenienced. A good word in time of trouble helps a lot, and this truly Christmas spirit shown by the majority gives us fortitude with which to bear the unwarranted criticisms of the few.

We acknowledge with profound appreciation the indulgence of our citizens and of the "Daily Leader," who, although greatly inconvenienced, have publicly shown their understanding of the difficulties of the situation, showing thereby the broadness and co-operative spirit underlying their policy.

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**The Temperature.**

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# MENKE'S DAILY SPORTING LETTER

(By Frank G. Menke.)

New York, Dec. 15.—The baseball magnates would make a master stroke if they shortened the playing season from 154 games to 136 games, opening the season about May 1st and closing it September 30th.

One of the troubles with baseball is that the season begins too soon and ends at a time when interest in regular season baseball is dead, and embalmed. There is such a thing as too much baseballing and that is what has been going on for many years.

The middle of April is too early to start a baseball season. The past has demonstrated that beyond the point of argument. The April weather always is of a variety that rarely can a team play out its April scehdule and even if it does, the outdoor conditions are such that the bulk of fandom does not care to take a chance on pneumonia. The opening game always draws a crowd, but during the balance of the month the assemblage is small.

The season ought to end October 1st. Dragging it along until the 6th or 7th is a mistake. Fandom, by that time, has lost its interest in the regular diamond combat. Its attention has drifted to the world series and to football. The baseball crowds after October 1st in the big leagues rarely run far into the thousands - oftener they do not go above the hundreds—unless the pennant isn't cinched by that time.

The 136 and 140 game schedules have been suggested frequently in years gone by—but the magnates have pooh-poohed the plan. Such a "sked," y'no. Oscar, would chop off 14 to 18 games, and, dear sir, how could the magnates live throughout the winter without the receipts from those extra games? That's how the magnates figure it, but it is a fairly safe bet that they would draw down approximately as much for those 136 or 140 games as they do now in 154. Why? Well, simply because they suffer an average of five postponements in April and in the second place their April and October games rarely draw any crowds.

If the public didn't get quite so much baseball it might appreciate it more.

**A Needed Reform.**

No better baseball reform ever has been suggested than that fathered by Clarke Griffiths which would bar the sale or trade of players during the playing season.

The practice of strengthening a pennant chasing team by robbing a mediocre club of its stars is a blot on the escutcheon of baseball. And it hurts the game as no other trick can hurt it. The 1915 season furnished an excellent example of this evil.

Joe Jackson was the only real star on the Cleveland roster. It was Jackson's presence in the lineup that drew the bulk of the small crowds that saw the Indians in action. In mid-season the White Sox were in the thick of the pennant fight. Comisky needed an outfielder of the slugging type—and Jackson was the man. He knew the Cleveland club needed money and so he played on its weak spot—money—made a $25,000 offer—and got Jackson.

What happened? Jackson strengthened the White Sox, yes, but his going soured the Cleveland fans on the club, the home attendance dropped almost to nothing and on the road the Jackson-less Indians played almost to empty seats.

Hughie Jennings's Tigers also were in the pennant fight. It was figured that if they could get one or two good pitchers immediately they might win the flag. So Hughie scouted around and found the men he wanted on the payroll of the Browns. Those men were pitchers, James and Loudermilk. The Tigers made a huge offer to the Brownie owners for those two pitchers—and they got them because the Browns needed the money.

In mid-season the Red Sox needed a firstclass second baseman. Jack Barry was the man they wanted. Connie Mack had saved Barry from the wreckage of the Athletics' 1914 machine but the lure of Joe Lannin's gold was too strong—and Barry went to the Red Sox, bolstered up the infield and set the pace that shot the Red Sox under the wire ahead of the field.

And then there's another side—one which a wealthy club can take advantage of a poor one. Suppose the Red Sox in 1915 had not been well equipped financially. They couldn't have purchased Barry, and without Barry they might not have been able to win, because the purchases of the White Sox and Tigers had strengthened those teams to a point where they were stronger than the 1915 team that Lannin put into the field.

A club ought to be forced to go through a season without outside aid and here's the hope that Grif. can put through his resolution at the American League meeting. It would help the game.


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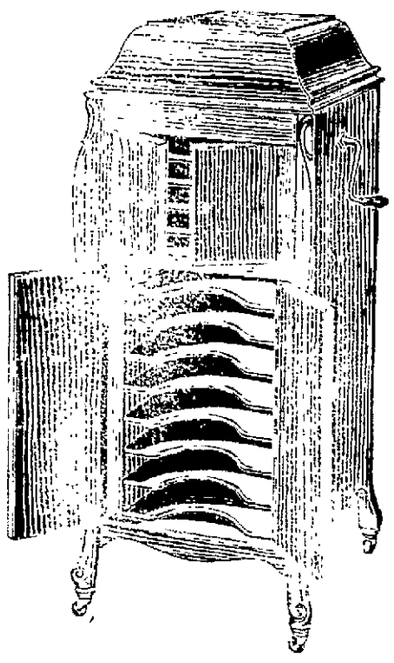

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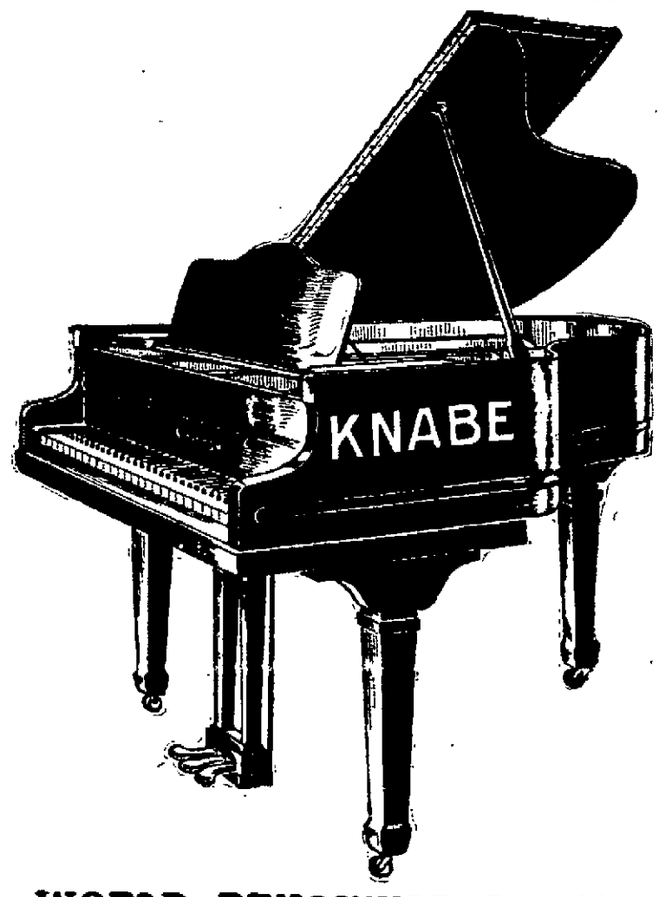


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During his absence he was relieved at the station by I. Y. Neale. Mr. Conner resumed his duties on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Short of Port Ewen spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

Mahlon Smith, who has been spending some time at Maybrook on a hunting trip has returned home.

Fred Haines of Binnewater spent a few days with his wife here, who is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Keator. We are very glad to learn of Mrs. Haines's improved health.

Melvin Short left for North Adams, Mass., where he has secured a position, leaving here on Saturday.

Among the numerous Christmas shoppers last week visiting Kingston were R. B. Walker, John DeWitt, Mahlon Smith, Charles Bishop, James Snyder, A. K. Sheeley, Charles Rider, Miss Laura B. Snyder, Mrs. Garton Keator and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Barley and son Cornelius.

COTTEKILL.

Cottekill, Dec. 15.—The blizzard of Monday night greatly tied up traffic. The train on the O. & W. due here at 8 o'clock Monday did not pass through here until about 12:30 Tuesday morning, and the morning train due about 9 a. m. did not run at all. Traffic was entirely tied up, the roads being impassable.

We understand that Christmas exercises will be observed in both churches on Thursday evening, Dec. 23. We should think it a good plan for one of them to change the date so as to give the villagers a chance to attend both.

The large fire on the Ontario & Western coal pockets at Kingston attracted considerable attention in this village on Friday evening, the sky being very prettily illuminated for an hour or more.

J. A. Keator has again sold his valuable horse. John is getting to be quite a horse dealer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Conner have returned from Toronto where he was attending a railroad meeting.